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Christmas events draw hundreds of locals



Echo staff photos by Cassandra Favre

Echo staff photos by Geoff Belcher

Hundreds of locals flocked to Coleman Avenue on Saturday to see the Christmas parade and participate in numerous holiday activities during "Christmas on Coleman."

The 12th annual Bay St. Louis Christmas Parade and the 8th annual Snowflakes and Sugar Plums Festival at the historic Depot brought hundreds of people to Old Town BSL on Saturday.

BY GEOFF BELCHER
GENERAL MANAGER

It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas in Hancock County - the Pearlinton Christmas Parade, 12th annual Bay St. Louis Christmas Parade, 8th annual Snowflakes and Sugarplums Festival and inaugural "Christmas on Coleman" saw huge turn-outs over the weekend, and more events are coming as the clock counts down toward Dec. 25.

"The crowd, the spirit at Christmas on Coleman, far surpassed what I had imagined," event organizer Kristen Tusa said. "When I looked down Coleman Avenue and saw the street lined with families and saw children handing their letters to Santa Claus as he rode in on the fire truck, I

could not have imagined anything better when we first started to plan this event."

"We had a huge crowd and I think people really enjoyed themselves," Hancock County Tourism Director Myrna Green said of the Bay parade and Snowflakes festival. "I was a little bit worried because there were so many other events," including the "Christmas in the Bay" parade last week, "but people really do like to come out and have a good time.

Coming up later this week:

- East Hancock Public Library will host "A Natural Christmas" beginning at 6 p.m. on Thursday, Dec. 12. The library is located at 4545 Shepherd Square in Diamondhead. Children will be able to enjoy a visit

with Santa Claus and refreshments.

- The Mississippi Welcome Center, located at 1-10 and Highway 607, will host its annual Christmas Holiday reception from 10:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Friday, Dec. 13. The event will include Christmas carols with local school children. Santa Claus will be there and local tourism partners will serve refreshments.

There are multiple events scheduled on Saturday, including Second Saturday in Old Town Bay St. Louis and the 205th anniversary reenactment of the Battle of the Bay (more on page 8 of today's Echo). and the following:

- The Kiln Fire Truck Christmas parade is scheduled to begin at noon. Numerous fire trucks

parade through Kiln with Santa Claus. The parade starts at Bobinger Road and ends at the Hancock County Arena, located at 4184 Kiln-DeLisle Rd.

- The children of M.A.P. will perform a Christmas live Nativity reenactment on the grounds of the historic Train Depot in Bay St. Louis at 7 p.m. in the Alice Moseley pavilion.

- The 100 Men Hall presents A Soulful Christmas. Breakfast, selfies with Black Santa, games, and prizes for the kids. Open to the public. The 100 Men Hall is located at 303 Union St., Bay St. Louis. The event lasts from 9 a.m. to noon.

- Celebrate Christmas under the starry skies dur-

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Echo staff photo by Geoff Belcher

The South Hancock Elementary Chorus performed during the Hancock County Library System's annual Holiday Tree Gala.

BWSD announces Teachers of the Year

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Gregory Prudhomme, a 4-12 grade mathematics teacher at Crossroads Learning Center, is the Bay-Waveland School District's Teacher of the Year. Prudhomme was recognized at the December meeting of the school board. All five Teachers of the Year in the district were honored earlier at a luncheon hosted by Superintendent Dr. Sandra Reed and sponsored by Brennan Compretta of Allstate Insurance.

Prudhomme, a New Orleans native, enrolled at the University of Southern Mississippi while working part-time



Photo courtesy of BWSD

From left, BWSD Superintendent Dr. Sandra Reed and BWSD 2019 Teacher of the Year Gregory Prudhomme.

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Vote on Bay's food and beverage tax is next Tuesday

BY GEOFF BELCHER
NEWS EDITOR

Bay St. Louis voters are headed back to the polls next Tuesday, Dec. 17, to determine whether the city may levy a two percent food and beverage tax.

"We've been looking at doing some projects for awhile, some of them for many, many years, and we're doing this so we can fund them," Bay St. Louis Mayor Mike Favre said recently.

According to a legal notice from the city, the Bay St. Louis City Council "intends to levy a tax upon every person, firm or corporation operating a bar in the city, at a rate not to exceed two percent of the gross proceeds of the sales of such bar and to levy a tax upon every person, firm or corporation operating a restaurant in the city," not to exceed two percent.

The council voted unanimously in February to approve a resolution to ask the Mississippi Legislature to approve the submission of a Local/Private bill to authorize the tax. The money would be used for tourism, parks and recreation in the city. The Legislature approved the bill in its regular session this year.

The legislation mandates that if the tax is approved

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Hancock County Food Pantry thanks community for generous donations



Photo courtesy of Hancock County Food Pantry
From left, pantry volunteers Marie Alongi, Tina Schaus and Doug Skinner.

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This year, the community donated more than \$10,000 for the Hancock County Food Pantry's annual turkey drive.

The volunteers of the pantry would like to thank the community for its support during September and October, a release states.

"Donations were received from a number of churches, civic groups, businesses, and many, many individuals," the release states. "A couple even volunteered to match up to \$3,500 if that much could be raised."

This year, the Hancock County Food Pantry was able to provide frozen turkeys to 756 families in Hancock County who received free food during the month of November, the release states.

"It's so gratifying to see that kind of

response from the community," Hancock County Food Pantry treasurer John Wittliff said. "We need to say thanks to all in the local community. It was the community that responded and contributed to make it all possible."

Several years ago, the pantry lost the grant funding which allowed for it to provide frozen turkeys to families during the month of November, according to the release.

Since that time, the pantry has relied on the community's support in order to provide the turkeys.

The pantry was founded in 1986 and is the only food pantry in the county. It serves an average of 650 families per month and is entirely volunteer run.

The pantry is located at 9972 Hwy. 603 and is open Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to noon. For more information, contact pantry volunteers at 228-467-2790.

Unity in the Community Kwanzaa Celebration

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The Hancock County NAACP will host an Umoja Gala, "Unity in the Community" on Saturday, December 28, 2019.

Please join us for a celebration of family, community and culture as we recognize the core principles of Kwanzaa. This annual event will acknowledge the

seven principles of Kwanzaa and lighting of the ceremonial symbolic candles. The ceremony will be performed by a group of young ladies, who presented a heartwarming rendition of the Kwanzaa celebration 20 plus years ago at St. Rose deLima and other venues throughout the gulf coast. This event will also include live entertainment, authentic food dishes, hors

d'oeuvres, cash bar and vendor, Jumanne's African, Etc. General Admission \$20. Africa attire is encouraged, but not required. The gala will begin at 7:00 pm at St. Rose delima Church Holy Spirit Center, 303 S. Necaize Avenue, Bay St. Louis. Limited seating; tickets are on sale now and can be purchased by calling 228-342-0118 or 228-669-4400.

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Arrest Record

The following is a list of arrests logged at the Hancock County Justice Facility from the past week. Appearance on the jail log is not indicative of guilt, merely a record that an arrest has been made.

ECHO STAFF REPORT
Alton A. Thomas, 32, contempt of court failure to comply
Kendarious D. Seay, 24, receiving stolen property
Whitney N. Lewis, 29, simple assault
Michael J. Brown Jr., 33, disturbance of family: indecent exposure, abusive language
Rochelle K. Manning, 31, contributing to delinquency/neglect of a child, possession of paraphernalia,

allowing an unlicensed person to drive
Arielle V. Pucheu, 27, contempt failure to appear x 2
Justin L. Delle, 40, contempt failure to appear x 2
Danon T. Murray, 44, contempt failure to appear
Jessica L. Anderson, 29, hold PTS inmate
Maria S. Scott, 30, hold PTS inmate
Frederick L. Lawrence, 37, hold PTS inmate
David L. Frank, 59, hold PTS inmate
David R. Luke, 50, hold PTS inmate
Jamarkis T. Milo, 24, hold PTS inmate
David A. Matthews, 41, hold PTS inmate
Dustin Savage, 28, contempt of court failure to appear
Joshua D. Jackson, 28, DUI: other substance, possession of marijuana (1-30

grams)
Ronald C. Bourn Jr., 45, probation violation, contempt failure to appear
Andreas B. Zivic, 38, conspiracy x 3, credit card: fraudulent use w/Internet to obtain money, etc. x 3
Katherine Major, 63, conspiracy x 3, credit card: fraudulent use w/Internet to obtain money, etc. x 4, abuse/neglect/exploitation of incapacitated adult-simple assault
Eugene J. Davis, 35, simple assault, probation violation
Marie E. Gill, 31, contempt failure to appear
Eugene G. Toler, 20, simple assault
Grant A. Reynolds, 59, contempt of court failure to appear
Akasha J. Jawers, 23, petit larceny
Clifford P. Lyons, 38, DUI first offense, reckless driving, speeding
Samuel D. Seals, 26, s h o p l i f t i n g , drunkenness/profanity in public place

Phillip C. Sanders Jr., 23, receiving stolen property
Nathan R. Holder, 19, contempt of court failure to appear, probation violation
Robert L. Lizana, 27, driving with suspended or revoked license, no insurance
Chad L. Hill Sr., 35, hold MDOC, back for court/court order
Eric N. Benoit, 35, no insurance, eluding law officer
Gabriel M. Henry, 30, contempt of court failure to appear x 2
Jennifer M. Necaise, 39, simple assault
Jean L. Barletter, 28, disorderly conduct
Matthew R. Workman, 31, simple assault
Steven A. Brown, 49, contempt of court failure to appear
Billie J. Schneider, 55, back for court/court order
Donald J. Mauffray, 39, back for court/court order
Kylon L. Raine, 44, back for court/court order
Lee V. Agee, 45,

DUI:other substance
Julia A. Benoit, 55, contempt failure to appear, misdemeanor possession of controlled substance
Cary L. Thomas, 34, DUI first offense
Elwyn C. Smith, 41, DUI first offense
April R. Bourgeois, 43, simple assault
Kevin A. Bourgeois, 44, simple assault
Desiaralle D. Mendel, 37, DUI first offense, careless driving, alcohol open container
Carmen R. Kihneman, 36, contempt of court failure to appear
James D. Webb, 58, seat belt violation, driving while license or driving privilege cancelled, disorderly conduct, resisting/obstructing arrest
Ryan C. Roberts, 25, DUI first offense, reckless driving, disorderly conduct x 2, contempt failure to appear
Ridley J. Grabert, 27, contempt failure to appear x 2

Todd A. Olson, 51, contempt failure to appear
Ryan L. Thomas, 38, contempt failure to appear
David B. McGill, 40, contempt failure to appear x 2
Patrick B. Cuevas Jr., 24, DUI first offense, careless driving
James D. Ducree, 24, contempt of court failure to appear x 2, possession of paraphernalia
Lori A. Sekinger, 38, careless driving, no insurance, possession of paraphernalia, felony possession of controlled substance
Dennis M. Heffron, 38, possession of paraphernalia, felony possession of controlled substance
Cory J. Bourgeois, 39, no insurance, driving with suspended or revoked license
Gary J. Schwandt II, 36, DUI first offense
Kristina S. White, 21, contempt of court failure to appear
Dallas J. Fowler, 39, DUI first offense

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by 60 percent of the qualified electors in Bay St. Louis who vote in the election, the funds generated must be used only for the promotion of tourism, parks and recreation in the city. The mayor and city council will work together to administer the funds and designate projects.

In order to help inform voters a little more about the referendum, the city and the Hancock County Chamber of Commerce will host a "Community Conversations" forum this Friday, Dec. 13, beginning at 8:30 a.m. at the Bay St. Louis Public Library.

Speakers at the event will include Connie Moran, the former mayor of Ocean Springs; Richard Chenowith, owner of Scranton's Restaurant and The Grand Magnolia in Pascagoula; and Favre. Everyone is welcome to the event.

The city and Chamber this week issued a Fact Sheet with some answers to frequently-asked questions about the referendum, including the following:

- **WHAT IS THE CITY PROPOSING TO DO?**
The City is giving the citizens the opportunity to

vote for or against a proposed 2% tax on the gross sales generated from customers using the services of bars and restaurants in Bay St. Louis. This is authorized by the Legislature in House Bill 1683 passed during the 2019 Legislative Session.

- **WHO PAYS THE TAX?**
The 2% tax is added to the bill of customers who frequent bars and restaurants in Bay St. Louis. Restaurants and bars in Bay St. Louis will be responsible for paying the tax to the Department of Revenue in the same manner they currently pay their 7% sales tax. For example, on a \$50 bill, there would be an additional \$1 tax added to the bill. It has been reported, that over 50% of business is from nonresidents (tourists) of Bay St. Louis. Therefore, over 50% of revenue generated from the tax will be from tourists.

- **HOW WILL CITIZENS BENEFIT?**
Citizens of all ages and backgrounds will benefit from the 2% tax. Parks will be enhanced, updated and maintained. The city will be able to improve and promote recreation which improves quality of life. Additionally, everyone in the city benefits from increased tourism.

Tourism is far more than just hotels, golf courses, bars and restaurants. Tourism boosts our economy, employs thousands of people, enriches our businesses and pays for important public services, such as education and law enforcement. Tourism works for each of us, every day.

- **HOW LONG WILL THE TAX BE IN PLACE?**
The legislation will automatically repeal after July 1, 2023. The City will have to seek an extension during the 2023 legislative session if the citizens want the tax to continue.
- **WHERE DO I VOTE?**
The referendum will be on Tuesday, December 17, 2019. Voting precincts are as follows: Ward One: Bay High School; Ward Two: Bay St. Louis Library; Ward Three: Senior Citizen Center; Ward Four: Christ Episcopal Church; Ward Five: American Legion Post 139; Ward Six: Bay St. Louis Fire Station No. 2 on Highway 603. Polls will be open from 7 a.m. – 7 p.m. For absentee voting go to City Hall.
- **HOW WILL THE CITY BUSINESSES BENEFIT FROM THIS TAX?**
Tourism is the largest industry in Bay St. Louis. The 2% tax will generate revenue to market and

improve city assets which will drive new customers to our local businesses year-round. All citizens and businesses within the city will benefit from the revenue generated from the tax. In Bay St. Louis, the toughest economic times for businesses within the city is after Cruisin the Coast and before Mardi Gras. These funds can be used to market the city year-round with specific emphasis during the down season to give businesses income year-round.

- **WHAT TYPE OF PROJECTS COULD THE CITY FUND?**
The funds can be used to market the city through advertising, social media, website development, and special events. It can also be used to improve park facilities which will in turn attract sports competitions. Additionally, it can be used to develop and manage recreational programs to improve quality of life.



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at WalMart. He graduated in December 2003 with a Bachelor of Science degree in Mathematics with a minor in Electronics Engineering Technology.

While working as a substitute teacher for the Harrison County School District during the 2007 school year, Prudhomme soon fell in love with teaching and realized his ability to motivate and teach children with positive outcomes. He received such positive feedback from the primary teachers' students, and students' parents that he decided to pursue teaching as a career. He earned his Mississippi Educator License in Elementary Education (K-6) with a Mathematics endorsement (7-12).

Prudhomme worked for the Harrison County School District, Gulfport School District and as a long-term substitute for the Bay-Waveland School District.

Prudhomme believes that student success is created through meaningful relationships and is driven to help students overcome barriers that may affect their learning. School officials said Prudhomme was selected because of his hard work with all students but especially those who had to pass the Algebra I test for graduation. Last year he had the best test scores at Crossroads.

He is described as a very hard working teacher who believes that all children can learn and then proves it to everyone including the students.

The Bay-Waveland Teachers of the Year are chosen by their principal with input from coworkers and students. The district Teacher of the Year is selected by a committee and will compete next year at the state level.

The other Teachers of the Year in the district are:

Danielle Adam is a second grade teacher at Waveland Elementary School. She received a Bachelor of Science degree with a major in elementary education from

the University of Southern Mississippi. She has been teaching at Waveland Elementary since December 2012. She is a summer program teacher for Reading and Science Exploration (RISE), grade level chair for 2019-2020, PBIS Committee co-leader and a student teacher mentor.

Gretchen Ross is the Bay-Waveland Middle School's Teacher of the Year. A graduate of the University of Southern Mississippi and William Carey University, she teaches 7th grade math. Ross is a National Board Certified Teacher and coaches the Bay-Waveland Middle School Tigerettes Dance Team. Her test scores are the best in the school in proficiency, growth for all and growth in the Most Promising 25 students.

Brooke Case, a 4th grade teacher, is North Bay Elementary's Teacher of the Year.

She graduated with honors in December 2013 from the University of Southern Mississippi with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Elementary Education with endorsements in Reading and Social Studies. After graduation she worked as a long term sub in the Bay-Waveland School District and in June 2014 became a third grade teacher at North Bay. She is now going into her sixth year of teaching 4th grade math and science.

Bay High School's Teacher of the Year is Brandy Schruoff, who teaches English II and French. Brandy graduated from Mississippi State University with a Bachelor of Science in May 1998, received a graduate assistant position and graduated in August 1999 with a Master of Arts. After graduation she taught at two Coast schools before joining the Bay High staff in July 2009.

She has been a class sponsor and is currently the National Honor Society lead sponsor. She is also a member of the Parent Academy Committee, the Parent Teacher Organization, the School-wide Leadership Team, and the Bay Waveland School District Writing Committee.

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Witnessing the end of an era

As the years go by and technology evolves, we are bound to see some of the staples of our lifetimes fade away.

I had the distinct pleasure of growing up before the Internet age. It didn't really become a part of my daily life until I was attending college back in the early 2000s.

When I was a kid, I saved my money to buy the latest music single on cassette tape, which then evolved to compact discs. Nowadays, streaming is the new method of listening to your favorite tunes. I still like having a physical copy of the music I listen to. But from time to time, I will plug my phone into the car and play my curated YouTube music playlist.

If you were here prior to Hurricane Katrina, you might remember the Blockbuster store in Waveland. We lived right down the street from it and my dad would take us there to rent a movie on VHS or DVD for a special Friday night or weekend treat. My cousin Peter Scianna knew about all the movies and it was a treat to see him all the time.

Now, Blockbuster stores are non-existent and streaming movies, television shows, and even the news is the new normal.

For years it seems, people have been saying that the print newspaper is "dying."

When I got into this profession, I was aware of this supposed news.

I am proud to come from a long line of news people. My great-grandfather A.G. "Red" Favre was the publisher of the Sea Coast Echo and also served as the county's chancery clerk during his lifetime.

I'm going off my own memory here, but I do know that my aunts Udell, Rosemary, and Robin worked here, along with my own Paw Paw Curtis Sr., and several other aunts and uncles that I'm probably forgetting. They worked in all sorts of capacities: Editors, circulation, press crew, writers, and advertising executives.

My great-uncle Gregory Favre is a distinguished journalist. He got his start at the Echo and went to work for such newspapers as the Chicago Daily News, the Chicago Sun-Times, and The Sacramento Bee, just to name a few.

I never had any idea that journalism and the newspaper coursed through my blood when I was trying to decide on a career long ago. I always knew that I liked to write, but journalism never entered my mind.

Through a series of unfortunate and unexpected events, I landed here at the Echo, unknowingly carrying on the family legacy.

As you may or may not know, it was announced last



Staff Column

By Cassandra Favre

Stopping Illegal Drugs from Mexico and China Must Be a Top Priority

While the U.S. is experiencing a drug crisis, Mexican drug cartels see a business opportunity: wrongfully selling illegal drugs as legitimate medicines and further escalating America's drug addiction.

While overdose deaths from prescription opioids alone has declined with federal and state policy interventions, research shows that illegal synthetic drugs are steadily flooding into the United States and have become the main driver of the opioid crisis.

Mexican drug cartels and Chinese drug smugglers are inundating the U.S. with fentanyl and counterfeit pills. The American Action Forum shows the fatality rate from synthetic opioid related overdoses increased by 46.6 percent from 2016 to 2017. Fentanyl can be 50 times as potent as heroin and it's much easier to obtain. The smallest amount — about 4 grains of salt — is lethal, and its chemical cousin, carfentanil, is even more deadly. Because the slightest amount packs a hefty dose, fentanyl and fentanyl-laced drugs are able to be widely distributed by drug cartels once they cross the U.S. border.



Guest Column

by State Senator
Joel Carter

Without the proper tools to detect and seize fentanyl, it has the disastrous potential to spread from coast to coast.

Between 1999 and 2017, more than 700,000 Americans have died from drug overdoses. These alarming statistics are tragic and staggering because they reflect the reality of how many families have been shattered by the loss of a loved one.

Even before taking office, President Donald Trump made stopping the opioid epidemic a priority. As a candidate and as President, he has advocated for tangible solutions in response to the widespread deaths related to opioid abuse and overdoses. By declaring it a public health emergency and securing \$6 billion in new funding to combat opioids, the

Trump administration has made major strides in fighting opioids, including passing the single largest legislative package addressing a drug crisis in history. This kind of sustained action is what is needed to help bring our nation out of this deadly epidemic, but more needs to be done to put a stop to this lethal substance before traffickers get it into the stream of commerce.

Ending foreign smuggling from Mexico and China is essential to a healthy America, and the

only way to combat this growing issue is to ensure these drugs never cross the U.S. border.

Domestic regulation has improved its means of seeking out illicit shipments and dark web transactions, but these efforts are only the tip of the iceberg. What is desperately needed is funding for sophisticated technology and scanning devices that will shore up our defense and ensure personnel on the forefront have the proper tools needed to detect and intercept this deadly substance.

Many people have become inadvertently addicted to opioids as a result of what started as legitimate use from an

injury or surgery. We need compassionate solutions and treatment to help them break the opioid addiction, and health care providers must take a more active role in helping stop this problem. Hundreds of thousands have lost their lives to drug abuse, and it will only get worse unless immediate action is taken.

During the holiday season, take a few minutes to talk with your loved ones, particularly young people, about the dangers of all drugs—including the problem of highly-addictive opioids.

As lawmakers, we have a duty to protect our nation's health and safety by enforcing preventative measures and taking aggressive action against fentanyl. I commend President Trump and his administration for taking action and working with medical professionals and specialists to find solutions to stop this crisis, and I urge lawmakers at every level of government to work together — as a national family — to find new ways to stop our foreign enemies before we lose more lives to this senseless tragedy.

Joel Carter is a Mississippi State Senator representing District 49 in Harrison County



Medical Marijuana

Joel Bomgar, successful tech entrepreneur and state representative from Madison, is leading the charge to bring medical marijuana to Mississippi.

It's a personal crusade from Bomgar, whose smarts and drive make any project of his likely to succeed. He watched both his parents suffer pain and nausea as they battled cancer. He doesn't want anybody in Mississippi to suffer the way they did.

"I lost both of my parents to cancer at a young age, both after long battles with cancer and in spite of being on the very best chemotherapy available," Bomgar told me. "Even though they were both on the best opioid painkillers on the market, both of my parents died in extreme pain and constant nausea as the cancer cells took over and shut down their bodies from the inside. No one should have to watch someone they love pass away in that much pain and agony. This initiative would make a very real dif-



Guest Opinion

by Wyatt Emmerich
Publisher of
Northside Sun

ference in so many people's lives and also help curb the devastating opioid epidemic."

Bomgar has put \$600,000 of his own money into the Medical Marijuana 2020 initiative. He has raised another \$1.2 million, which led to the successful submission of about 86,185 signatures to the Secretary of State (12 percent of the total votes cast in the last gubernatori-

al election before the initiative.) The initiative is on track for appearing on the 2020 Mississippi election ballot.

Bomgar told me only 20 percent of the funding has come from national groups.

Polls are showing 65 percent of Mississippians support medical marijuana. It's very likely this will pass.

Louisiana and Arkansas recently passed medical marijuana, Louisiana through the state legislature and Arkansas through a ballot initiative like Bomgar is attempting.

Bomgar studied all the medical marijuana laws in the 33 states.

He says Mississippi's law will be much different than Arkansas and Louisiana, where a limited number of companies are selected by the government to supply the cannabis.

Bomgar's plan is to have the Mississippi Department of Health regulate medical marijuana, but to allow any enterprise meeting the qualifications to enter the new business.

This is a much different approach that Bomgar believes will actually deliver results. Arkansas and Louisiana are still floundering to get medical marijuana off the ground.

The initiative would require a licensed physician to prescribe medical marijuana for specific illnesses.

Bomgar has no appetite for recreational legalization, a view he believes most Mississippians share. (There are several initiative efforts to legalize recreational marijuana in Mississippi led by other groups.)

Bomgar believes his initiative will quickly allow 15,000 or so Mississippians to get prescriptions, improving their lives.

He cites studies that show a 25 percent decrease in opioid deaths in states that have effectively implemented medical marijuana.

There are about 350 opioid deaths a year in Mississippi, so a 25 percent

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Breath's Boats & Motors Named to 2019 Boating Industry Top 100 list

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From left, Adam Quandt from Boating Industry magazine and Christine & John Ladner of Breath's Boats & Motors.

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Breath's Boats & Motors of Bay St. Louis, MS has been named one of the Top 100 dealers in North America by Boating Industry, the leading trade publication for the marine industry.

"Out of the thousands of

boat dealers in North America, only the very best make the Top 100 list," said Jonathan Sweet, director of the Boating Industry Top 100 Program. "These companies are the elite of the marine industry, excelling at all aspects of their business, from customer service to industry advocacy to overall business acumen."

The 2019 Boating Industry Top 100 was announced November 24 at a black-tie gala in Orlando, FL, during the Boating Industry Elevate Summit. The Top 100 will also be featured in the December issue of Boating Industry and at BoatingIndustry.com.

The Top 100 is the only

independent ranking of boat dealers in North America. The list recognizes dealerships that are unsurpassed in business operations, professionalism, marketing tactics, customer service and more. The Boating Industry Top 100 has recognized the top dealers in North America every year since 2005.

205th Anniversary 'Battle of the Bay' Re-enactment

SEA COAST ECHO

On Saturday, December 14, 2019, all Hancock County residents and weekend visitors are encouraged to follow along on a walking history tour of the 205th Anniversary of the events that led up to the famous "Battle of the Bay" and the establishment of Bay St. Louis as a city.

At 1:55 p.m., Reveille and a cannon firing of one shot over the gulf will begin the ceremony at Bienville Square (Hancock-Whitney Bank at Beach Blvd. & Main Street).

Guest speakers from Hancock County Historical

Society, founding members of Mystic Krewe of the Seahorse, and city officials encourage you to come dressed in period or pirate attire and join the celebration as they take you on a journey of the rich history of how the French-Canadian Jean-Baptiste de a Sieu Bienville established the first French colony at Bay St. Louis in 1699.

Period-dressed characters will speak about the history of how Bienville founded Bay St. Louis, the British influence of Bay St. Louis as it became part of British West Florida, and the effects of the American Revolution on Bay St. Louis as well as the signing of the Treaty of Paris, ending the French and Indian

War (Seven Years War).

As the history of Bay St. Louis unfolds, follow along with the characters portraying these famous explorers, soldiers, and the governor as they arrive at Krewe Central (Beach Blvd & Court Street-in front of Cuz's Seafood Restaurant).

The distinguished keynote speaker Rear Admiral John A. Okon, Commander, Naval Meteorology and Oceanography Command, Oceanographer and Navigator of the Navy will be present at the celebration to read the actual account of the "Battle of the Bay."

Hear the famous words expressed by Ms. Claiborne, "will no one fire

a shot in defense of our country," invoking a response from the town's mayor to fire the cannon sending a cannon ball near the British warships as they passed by, deterring them from landing here and beginning the "Battle of the Bay."

Following the Cannon Volley Re-enactment, the characters depicting Captain Johnson and his sailors from the schooner, USS Seahorse, of the "Battle of the Bay" will be introduced.

Concluding remarks will be made in time for Second Saturday Art Walk and Christmas festivities in the Bay.

• ERA

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week that the Echo will now be a once-a-week paper and printing will be outsourced elsewhere.

On Friday night, we watched the last running of the printing press in Hancock County.

It felt like I was watching a part of history fade away.

It was a solemn moment for me. And I took a video on my phone so that I would be able to remember the moment.

While the newspaper may only be printed once a week now, the online version of the paper will get stronger.

People want immediate access to things and that includes the news.

However, if things like the com-

munity newspaper become obsolete, so does your community watchdog.

We are a small staff here and do our best to attend the local meetings to cover the news that could potentially impact your daily life. Community reporters also report on the good going on in the community such as last week when someone anonymously donated a monetary Christmas gift to the local senior residents at Notre De La Mer. We also take tons of pictures at the local Christmas parades and other community activities. I love what I do and I enjoy being out in the community meeting people and capturing the moments.

These are bits of information that you can't get from the national news outlets.

And I'm sure folks get upset with

their local news source for one reason or another, but we are just as human as the rest of you. We make mistakes, which we will take ownership of and correct.

It's important to support your local news source, just like it's important to support local small businesses, artists, etc.

Anyone who knows me well enough, knows that I'm not a big fan of change. I'm very much an old soul.

However, the world is always changing and we have to adapt the best we can.

It's going to no doubt be a bumpy ride at first, so I'm hoping you'll continue to adapt with us as we transition to a new normal.

Cassandra is a staff writer at the Sea Coast Echo and can be reached at cassandra@seacoastecho.com.

• MEDICAL

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reduction would save 75 lives a year.

The text of the initiative is as follows:

Initiative Measure No. 65 proposes to amend the Mississippi Constitution to allow qualified patients with debilitating medical conditions, as certified by Mississippi licensed physicians, to use medical marijuana.

This amendment would allow medical marijuana to be provided only by licensed treatment centers. The Mississippi State Department of Health would regulate and enforce the provisions of this amendment.

It is a strange aspect of Mississippi's initiative law

that any initiatives can only change the state constitution rather than the state statutes. Of the 30 states that allow public initiatives, only three states limit it only to constitutional amendments.

This is too bad. You really don't want something as specific as medical marijuana as part of the state constitution. It should be a new law. But that's the way it's set up in Mississippi.

Here's the list of conditions that will be allowed to be treated with medical marijuana: cancer, epilepsy or other seizures, Parkinson's disease, Huntington's disease, muscular dystrophy, multiple sclerosis, cachexia, post-traumatic stress disorder, positive status for human immunodeficiency virus,

acquired immune deficiency syndrome, chronic or debilitating pain, amyotrophic lateral sclerosis, glaucoma, agitation of dementias, Crohn's disease, ulcerative colitis, sickle-cell anemia, autism with aggressive or self-injurious behaviors, pain refractory to appropriate opioid management, spinal cord disease or severe injury, intractable nausea, severe muscle spasticity, and similar diseases.

If you go to <https://www.medicalmarijuana2020.com/faq>, you will find a huge amount of information on medical marijuana, including dozens of medical studies showing the effectiveness of medical marijuana in the treatment of dozens of illnesses and diseases. The FAQ goes into great detail

about how the law will work in Mississippi.

I asked Bomgar, a state representative, why medical marijuana isn't being addressed through the normal legislative process. He said it's just a hot potato issue and legislators would rather the voters decide this one directly.

Kind of like the state flag issue. Politicians hate to be forced to take a stand on controversial issues that might alienate blocks of votes.

The Center for Disease Control says there were 70,237 opioid deaths in the United States in 2017. Opioids, after all, are just medical heroin. Meanwhile, nobody has ever died of a medical marijuana overdose.

This seems like a no-brainer to me.

SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

WHEREAS, on May 11, 1992, Davis Files and wife, Jeanette T. Files executed a certain deed of trust to Frank W. Niemeyer, Jr., as trustee, and the United States of America, acting through the Farmers Home Administration, United States Department of Agriculture, as Beneficiary, which deed of trust is of record in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock, County, State of Mississippi, in Land Record Book 368, Page 471;

WHEREAS, default has occurred in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said deed(s) of trust, and The United States of America, acting by and through the United States Department of Agriculture, as Beneficiary, has authorized and instructed Stephens Millirons, P.C. as Substitute Trustee to foreclose said deed(s) of trust by advertisement and sale at public auction in accordance with the statutes made and provided therefor.

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Beginning at the NW Corner of Lot 1, Block 4, Green Acres Subdivision, Hancock County, Mississippi; thence South 38 degrees 51 minutes East 170.65 feet along the Westerly right-of-way of Waveland Avenue; thence South 59 degrees 37 minutes West 124.1 feet; thence North 195.7 feet to the place of beginning. Containing 0.24 acres, more or less, and being all of Lots 1 and 2 and part of Lot 3, Block 4, Green Acres Subdivision in Section 3, Township 9 South, Range 14 West Hancock County, Mississippi.

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Obituaries

EDWARD MICHAEL DOUGHERTY
BORIS "BULLY" LEWIS
NORMA MARIE NECAISE MOREL
KYRA OLIVIA SMITH
BONNIE NELSON-WILLINGHAM

EDWARD MICHAEL DOUGHERTY

Edward Michael Dougherty, age 72 of Pearlington, passed away on Friday, December 6, 2019. RIEMANN FAMILY FUNERAL HOME, Pass Christian, is serving the family. The family is planning a service at a later date. An online obituary may be viewed at www.riemannfamily.com

BORIS "BULLY" LEWIS

Funeral service will be held Thursday Dec. 12, 2019 at 11 am., in First Missionary Baptist Church 256 Sycamore St. Bay St. Louis, MS., for Boris "Bully" Lewis age 86 of Bay St. Louis, MS., who died Dec. 3, 2019 in Gulfport, MS. The Rev. Allen Jenkins will officiate at the service. Burial will be in the Garden of Memory Cemetery, under the direction of Baylous Funeral Home., a native of Knoxville, MS., he retired Aug. 25, 1995 from H. Gordon Myrick as a construction worker. He was a member of First



Missionary Baptist Church and serve on the Trustee Board. Survivors include: 1 son Kenneth Lewis of Waveland, MS., 1 daughter Sharon Lewis (Franklin) Davis of Bay St. Louis, MS., 2 grandsons, Donovan Davis of Iraq, Chase Lewis of Waveland, MS., 1 granddaughter Paige Ruff of Pass

Christian, MS., 1 great great son Mario Durr of Pass Christian, MS., 2 brothers Jellest Lewis of Waveland, MS., Johnnie Lewis of Los Angelo, CA., a host of nieces, nephews, relatives and friends. Preceded in death by wife Rubystine Lewis, parents, Clayborne Lewis Sr., and Alice Stewart Lewis., siblings: brothers, A.D., Jesse, Willie "Sambo", and Clayborne Lewis Jr. sister, Florstine Williams. Visitation will be Sat., Dec. 12, 2019 from 10:am until 11:am in First Missionary Baptist Church under the direction of Baylous Funeral Home.

NORMA MARIE NECAISE MOREL

Norma Marie Necaïse Morel, 71, of Bay St. Louis, MS passed away Thursday, December 5, 2019 in Bay St. Louis, MS. She was a member of Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church in Bay St. Louis. She was a cafeteria worker at Bay High School for 16 years. She was a wonderful and loving wife, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, sister, aunt and sister-in-law who will be sadly missed by her family and friends. She was preceded in death by her parents, Reno J. and Marie Azaline Carver Necaïse; four brothers, Donald R. Necaïse, Gerald I. Necaïse Terrell Necaïse and Reno Joseph Morel and sister-in-law, Cheryl Ann Necaïse. She was survived by her husband of 53 years, Michael R. Morel, Sr. of Bay St. Louis; four sons, Michael R. Morel, Jr. (Melissa), Randall J. Morel (Heddi),

Harry J. Morel and Kevin D. Morel (Jeneen) all of Bay St. Louis; one brother, Kenneth M. Necaïse of Bay St. Louis; sister, Carolyn A. Peoples of Picayune; three sister-in-laws, Susan Necaïse, Nina Necaïse and Lois Necaïse all of Bay St. Louis; ten grandchildren; five great-grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews. Visitation will be held Thursday, December 12, 2019 at Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church from 11:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon with a Mass of Christian Burial at 12:00 p.m. Edmond Fahey Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis is in charge of the arrangements.



Harry J. Morel and Kevin D. Morel (Jeneen) all of Bay St. Louis; one brother, Kenneth M. Necaïse of Bay St. Louis; sister, Carolyn A. Peoples of Picayune; three sister-in-laws, Susan Necaïse, Nina Necaïse and Lois Necaïse all of Bay St. Louis; ten grandchildren; five great-grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews. Visitation will be held Thursday, December 12, 2019 at Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church from 11:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon with a Mass of Christian Burial at 12:00 p.m. Edmond Fahey Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis is in charge of the arrangements.

William Carey University announces President's and Dean's List

SEA COAST ECHO

William Carey University announces the undergraduate President's and Dean's List Scholars for the Fall 2019 Trimester. President's List Scholars have a perfect 4.0 grade point average and Dean's List Scholars must have at least a 3.5 grade point average; both lists required students to have no failing grades in any class. Students earning these recognitions are:

Bay Saint Louis - President's List: Taylor Nicole Lee, Meghan A. Morreale, Brandy Dawnnell Schenck. Dean's List: Savannah Morgan Cool Corbitt

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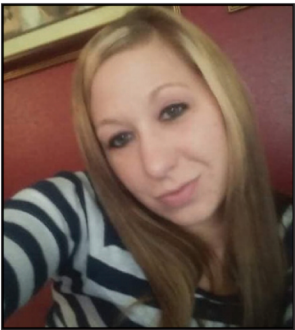
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KYRA OLIVIA SMITH

Kyra Smith, 30, of Bay St. Louis, passed away Sunday, December 1, 2019 in Kiln. She attended Old Spanish Trail Baptist Church. Kyra will be greatly missed by her family and friends. Kyra was preceded in death by her father Michael Smith, her parrin Shawn McSweeney, and grandparents Frank and Lucille Ellis and Emelda Miles. Kyra is survived by her mother Debbie Ellis Smith of Kiln, brother Brandon Ellis of Kiln and one nephew. She leaves behind



her precious girls Julianna and Danika. The girls Nana and Poppa Terri and Sammy Vance of Bay St. Louis. She also leaves many Aunts, Uncles, Cousins and Friends. Kyra has a special scripture. Psalm 62:5-6 My soul,

wait silently for God alone, for my expectation is from him. He only is my rock and my salvation; He is my defense ; I shall not be moved. Kyra continually asked for strength from our Heavenly Father to watch over her girls through their lives. She also asked for forgiveness to those who she sinned against. She stated "They are equally a Child of God" just as she is. Kyra's final resting place is Lakeshore Cemetery. Edmond Fahey Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis is in charge of the arrangements.

BONNIE NELSON-WILLINGHAM

A funeral service will be held on Saturday, Dec. 14, 2019, for Bonnie

Nelson-Willingham, at Church of the Living God, 1011 Maple St., Waveland. Visitation at 10 a.m., service at 11 a.m.

Holiday Open House at the Welcome Center

SEA COAST ECHO

The Hancock County Welcome Center located at Interstate 10 and Highway 607 in Pearlington, Mississippi will celebrate its Annual Holiday Open House on Friday, December 13, 2019 from 10:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. Entertainment will be provided by South Hancock Middle School at 10:00. Local tourism partners will serve holiday treats to visitors and Santa Claus will be present.

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• January 6, 2020

• February 3, 2020

- South Hancock Elementary School, 6590 Lakeshore Rd., Bay St. Louis, MS

• March 2, 2020

- West Hancock Elementary School, 23350 Highway 43, Picayune, MS

• April 1, 2020

• May 4, 2020

• June 1, 2020

• July 2, 2020

• August 3, 2020

• September 3, 2020

- Hancock North Central Elementary School, 6122 Cuevas Town Rd., Kiln, MS

• October 5, 2020

- East Hancock Elementary School, 4221 Kiln Delisle Rd., Kiln, MS

• November 2, 2020

- Hancock Middle School, 7070 Stennis Airport Dr., Kiln, MS

• December 10, 2020

- Hancock High School, 7084 Stennis Airport Dr., Kiln, MS

Unless noted otherwise, the meetings will be held in the Board Meeting Room of the Office of the Superintendent of Education at 17304 Highway 603, Kiln, Mississippi.

For further information, including agenda matters, please visit www.hancockschools.net.



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Pirates & SSC lead area with All-Division gridiron selections

BY JOSEPH W. GEX, II
STAFF WRITER

With the 2019 gridiron season in the books, the All-Division honors have been released. The Pass Christian Pirates led the area with 10 selections on the All-Division 8-4A team including overall Player of the Year while the St. Stanislaus Rock-a-chaws placed nine selections on the team. The Bay High Tigers added three to the squad. The Hancock Hawks, a member of Region 4-6A, placed three members on the first team and four on the second team.

The Pirates ended their 2019 campaign with an overall record of 8-4 and the #2-seed from Division 8-4A. The Pirates also won the program's first playoff game with their 35-20 win over Purvis on November 8th.

The Pirates were led by Division 8-4A Player of the Year Dustin Allison.

Allison, a 6'1" 198-lb quarterback, threw for 3,123 yards and 35 touchdowns and eight interceptions on 167-for-285 passing. He completed 58.6% of his passes. He also rushed 92 times for 609 yards and nine touchdowns.

Allison was joined on the team by teammates OL Kenny Nguyen, WR Kameron White, LB Reese Gorman, DE Montrel Alexander, DL Bryson Adams, LB Gordon Ward,

DB Xavion Paige, ATH Andrew Moffett, and K Davon Klein.

Gorman, a 6' 210-lb four-year starter, earned the division's Defensive Player of the Year. He collected 127 tackles including 52 solos, seven tackles for loss, one sack, three hurries, two interceptions and two fumble recoveries.

White (5'9, 140-lbs) played wide receiver and caught 48 passes for 1,009 yards and 11 touchdowns while Nguyen graded out at 82% on the season in the trenches for the Pirates.

Alexander, 6' 195-lbs, lined up at defensive end and tallied 79 tackles including 15 tackles for loss, four sacks, 23 hurries, and two fumble recoveries. Adams, 6' 224-lbs, also lined up on the defensive front for Pass Christian and recorded 50 tackles with 16 tackles for loss, three sacks, 24 hurries, and a blocked punt.

Ward, 5'11" 190-lbs, played on the second level of the defense and contributed 117 tackles including 12 tackles for loss, three sacks, eight hurries, and a fumble recovery.

Paige, 5'11" 165-lbs, roamed the defensive backfield and made 66 tackles with 42 solos, and five interceptions.

Moffett, 6' 170-lbs, was a jack of all trades and was selected as an athlete. He caught 52 passes for 1,085 yards and 10 touchdowns, had 218 kickoff return yards, made 67 tackles on

defense with five interceptions and 136 return yards and forced seven fumbles.

Klein made 50-of-52 PAT's and 4-for-5 field goals.

The Rocks advanced to the first round of the Class 4A state playoffs as the #3-seed and fell to the eventual Class 4A South State Champion Poplarville Hornets. SSC finished the year with a 6-5 overall record. The Rocks were led by Co-Offensive Player of the Year Dallas Payne.

Payne, a 6'4" 190lb wide receiver, caught 85 passes for 1,231 yards and 17 touchdowns. He also scored one rushing touchdown and had 202 return yards on eight punts.

Payne was joined on the team by teammates QB Max Favre, OL Seth Cook, TE Lee Negrotto, DL Ryan McClellon, LB Blake Bilich, DB Trustin Northington, DB Grant Sides and Returner Davien Lagarde.

Favre, a second-generation QB in Hancock County, threw for 3,086 yards and 39 touchdowns with 14 interceptions on 232-for-357 passing. He completed 65% of his passes and finished with a 112.3 QB rating for the season.

Cook, a two-year starter at offensive line, graded out at 87% for the year.

Negrotto, a 6'3" 230-pounder who split time on both sides of the ball, caught 31 passes for 480 yards and nine touchdowns. He also had 50 tackles on defense includ-

ing 16 tackles for loss, 6.5 sacks and 11 hurries.

McClellon, a 6'1" 220-lb end, made 58 tackles including seven tackles for loss, one sack, two hurries, and a fumble recovery on the line.

Bilich, a 6' 190-lb backer, collected 86 tackles with six tackles for loss, one sack, one interception, and three pass break-ups.

Northington, a 6'1" 175-lb free safety, led the Rocks in tackles with 96 including three tackles for loss, one sack, four interceptions and two fumble recoveries.

Sides, a 5'10" 170-lb athlete, returned 17 kick-offs for 580 yards and three touchdowns including a school record 99 yard return. He also returned an interception for a touchdown.

The Bay High Tigers finished with a winning record of 5-4 for the first time since 2012. They were represented on the team by RB Noah Cutter, RB Sam Sheppard, and OL Seth Russo.

Cutter, a 6'1" 210-lb bruiser, rushed 132 times for 974 yards and 13 touchdowns. He also caught six passes for 49 yards.

Sheppard, a 5'9" 175-lb scatback, collected 862 yards rushing on 106 carries and nine touchdowns. He also caught five passes for 69 yards.

Russo, a 6'2" 280-lb

tackle, graded out at 90% for the season on the offensive line.

The Division 8-4A coaches only selected a first team and allow their coaches to select their own honorable mention selections.

The Hawks ended their campaign with a 4-7 overall record. As members of Region 4-6A, the coaches select a first and second team along with honorable mention selections.

The Hawks were represented on the first team by OL Christian Sapp, OL Quintin Fowler, and LS Riley Welsh. The second team honorees included WR Jordan Zulli, TE Jordan Foushee, QB Sema'j Robertson, and K Austin Hyde. The honorable mention selections were DB Tanner Lemon and RB Sebastian Fausett.

Sapp, a 6'2" 312-lb tackle, graded out at 89% on the season while Fowler, a 6'3" 278-lb guard, graded

out at 91% for the season.

Welsh was selected as a long snapper for his precision in placing the ball to the holder and to the punter on special teams.

Zulli, a 6'1" 154-lb wideout, caught 21 passes for 482 yards and four touchdowns while Foushee, a 6'2" 205-lb end, caught 11 passes for 184 yards and a touchdown.

Robertson, a 6' 178-lb dual threat, threw for 1,057 yards and seven touchdowns with nine interceptions on 59-for-110 passing. He also rushed 97 times for 747 yards and seven scores.

Hyde, a 5'11" kicker, converted 30-for-31 PATs and 2-for-7 field goals.

Lemon, a 5'10" 185-lb defensive back, made 66 tackles and two interceptions while Fausett, a 5'9" 200-lb bruiser, rushed 215 times for 1,360 yards and 14 touchdowns. He also caught four passes for 42 yards.

Rocks land Payne & Negrotto on 4A All-State first team, Pirates place Allison on second team

BY JOSEPH W. GEX, II
STAFF WRITER

The Mississippi Association of Coaches releases their All-State football teams by classification on Friday, December 6th.

The St. Stanislaus Rock-a-chaws placed two players on the first team and the Pass Christian Pirates placed one member on the second team. The Bay High Tigers did not have a representative on the 4A team and the Hancock Hawks did not have a honoree on

the 6A team.

The Rocks (6-5) were represented by WR Dallas Payne and TE Lee Negrotto on the MAC 4A All -State first team.

Payne, a 6'4" 190-lb wideout, caught 85 passes for 1,231 yards and 17 touchdowns. He also added a rushing touchdown. In the return game, Payne returned eight punts for 202 yards.

Negrotto, a 6'3" 220-lb end, played both sides of the ball for the majority of the year. On offense, he collected 31 passes for 480

yards and nine touchdowns. On defense, he tallied 50 tackles including 16 tackles for loss, 6.5 sacks and 11 hurries. Negrotto is currently committed to Jones Junior College.

Pass Christian (8-4) was represented on the second team by quarterback Dustin Allison. He helped the Pirates to the school's first football playoff win in program history when they defeated Purvis 35-20 in the first round on November 8th.

During the season, Allison threw for 3,123

yards and 35 touchdowns with eight interceptions on 167-for-285 passing. He also rushed 92 times for 609 yards and nine touchdowns.

Area hardwood happenings

BY JOSEPH W. GEX, II
STAFF WRITER

The area hardwood is beginning to heat up just prior to the break for the holiday season.

In girls basketball, Bay High (3-5) recently dropped their contest with West Harrison on Friday, December 6th 45-4. The Hancock Lady Hawks (6-1) beat Gautier 56-46. The Pass Christian Lady Pirates (5-5) came up on the short end of the stick with a 46-37 loss to the d'Iberville Lady Warriors. The OLA Crescents (0-8) dropped their game with Purvis on December 9th 67-18.

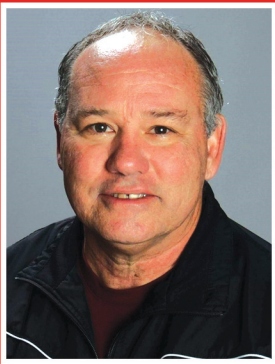
Scoring details for the girl's games were not available.

In boys basketball, the Bay High Tigers (6-2) last visited the court on November 29th with a win against Bowling Green in the PRCC Shootout.

The Hawks (4-6) beat Gautier 36-32 and Pass Christian (2-10) defeated d'Iberville 50-44.

The St. Stanislaus Rock-a-chaws (1-5) played in the CYO tournament in New Orleans but details of that tournament are not available.

In upcoming action, Bay High is set to host SSC on Friday while Hancock travels to Ocean Springs and Pass Christian goes to St. Martin. The Bay High boys head to Moss Point for the Moss apoint Shootout on Saturday while the Hancock Lady Hawks travel to Pearl for the Pearl Classic. On Tuesday, Bay High hosts Vancleave, Hancock hosts Long Beach, Pass Christian travels to Gulfport and OLA hosts Resurrection. See you at the games!



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GAMES

ON TAP THIS WEEK

-THURSDAY

• Basketball: OLA at West Marion, 5 p.m.

-FRIDAY

• Basketball: Bay High vs SSC, 7:30 p.m.
• Basketball: Hancock at Ocean Springs, 6 p.m. & 7:30 p.m.
• Basketball: Pass Christian at St. Martin, 6 p.m. & 7:30 p.m.
• Soccer: Bay High vs Pass Christian, 6 p.m. & 7:30 p.m.
• Soccer: SSC at Vancleave, 7 p.m.

-SATURDAY

• Basketball: Bay High boys at Moss Point Shootout, TBD
• Basketball: Hancock Lady Hawks at Pearl Classic, TBD
• Soccer: OLA at Resurrection, 5 p.m.
• Soccer: SSC vs Resurrection, 10:30 a.m.

-MONDAY

• Bowling: Hancock at Cypress Lanes, 4 p.m.
• Soccer: Bay High vs Moss Point, 6 p.m. & 7:30 p.m.

-TUESDAY

• Basketball: Bay High vs Vancleave, 6 p.m. & 7:30 p.m.
• Basketball: Hancock vs Long Beach, 6 p.m. & 7:30 p.m.
• Basketball: Pass Christian at Gulfport, 6 p.m. & 7:30 p.m.
• Basketball: OLA vs Resurrection, 5 p.m.
• Soccer: Hancock vs West Harrison, 5:30 p.m. & 7 p.m.
• Soccer: Pass Christian at Pascagoula, 6 p.m. & 7:30 p.m.



It's BEGINNING TO LOOK A LOT LIKE CHRISTMAS

BY THE HANCOCK CHAMBER
The Old Town Merchants Association (OTMA) and its members welcome everyone to cruise on in downtown Bay St. Louis and experience the Second Saturday Art Walk this Saturday, Dec. 14, where the Christmas shopping will be accompanied by great food, beverages and live entertainment. Also known as Second Saturday, the event has become a regional favorite and regularly draws visitors from New Orleans to Biloxi.

Each month during Second Saturday, two OTMA members are featured as Hot Spots, and Biz-zee Bee and Bay Elements are this month's picks.

Between 10 a.m. and 7 p.m., visitors can stop by the Hot Spots and other shops for refreshments and live music from 4-7 p.m..

Bring the kids and, as the locals say, "Pass a good time."

This month's event will also be accompanied by the 205th anniversary reenactment of the Battle of the Bay.

At 1:55 p.m., Reveille and a cannon firing of one shot over the gulf will begin the ceremony at Bienville Square (Hancock-Whitney Bank at Beach Blvd. & Main Street).

Guest speakers from Hancock County Historical Society, founding members of Mystic Krewe of the Seahorse, and city officials encourage you to come dressed in period or pirate attire and join the celebration as they take you on a journey of the rich history of how the French-Canadian Jean-Baptiste de la Sieu Bienville established the first French colony at Bay St. Louis in 1699.

Period-dressed characters will speak about the history of how Bienville founded Bay St. Louis, the British influence of Bay St. Louis as it became part of British West Florida, and the effects of the American Revolution on Bay St. Louis as well as the signing of the Treaty of Paris, ending the French and Indian War (Seven Years War).

As the history of Bay St. Louis unfolds, follow along with the characters portraying these famous explorers, soldiers, and the governor as they arrive at Krewe Central (Beach Blvd & Court Street-in front of Cuz's Seafood Restaurant).

The distinguished keynote speaker Rear Admiral John A. Okon,



MAGNOLIA ANTIQUES OWNERS JACK AND GLENDA SCHORNICK AND DAUGHTER SHAY COSS ARE CELEBRATING SECOND SATURDAY THIS WEEK WITH A HUGE SELECTION OF ANTIQUE FURNISHINGS, ART, TOYS, DOLLS, UKULELES AND OTHER VINTAGE COLLECTIBLES.



BAY ELEMENTS IS A MIND-BENDING BOUTIQUE SPECIALIZING IN ITEMS THAT ARE SURE TO STRETCH THE IMAGINATION AS WELL AS THE BOUNDARIES OF WHAT IS POSSIBLE WHEN IT COMES TO STYLE. HERE, SHOP OWNER SUSAN PETERSON BRINGS HER PATRONS AN INTRIGUING MIX OF ANTIQUES AND NEW ITEMS; REPURPOSED, UPCYCLED AND REIMAGINED PIECES, ART AND GIFTS AS WELL AS DOMESTIC AND IMPORTED FURNITURE.



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Commander, Naval Meteorology and Oceanography Command, Oceanographer and Navigator of the Navy will be present at the celebration to read the actual account of the "Battle of the Bay."

Following the Cannon Volley Re-enactment, the characters depicting Captain Johnson and his sailors from the schooner, USS Seahorse, of the "Battle of the Bay" will be introduced.

**BIZ-ZEE BEE
111 B MAIN STREET**
Biz-zee Bee is sure to have something delightful for the kiddos for Christmas!

This charming little children's boutique has

built up a loyal clientele over the years who keep returning for children's clothing that is fashionable, adorable and high quality. Owner Janell Graham maintains a high standard for the shop – she only selects items that are stylish and well-made, but maintains multiple price points so that everyone can find something special for the little ones in their lives.

Biz-zee Bee carries clothing for boys from newborn to age 7 and girls from newborn to age 12. A festive gift for any tiny dancer, Biz-zee Bee has shoes for ballet, tap and jazz. Other popular items include smocked clothing and toys and the popular Bogg Bag, which promises to be weather proof and tip proof. They have both sizes in stock.

Biz-zee Bee also offers embroidery services in-store, so items can be cus-

tomized. They do accept outside items as well. But, you have to plan ahead – the cutoff to have a custom embroidered item in time for Christmas is December 15th.

Of course, Biz-zee Bee would never forget about mom. They also sell Comfort Colors tees and sweatshirts with local designs and expressions that are guaranteed to make anyone on the receiving end smile.

Stop by Biz-zee Bee on 2nd Saturday on Dec. 14 to witness all this cuteness for yourself. They are located at 111 B Main Street and will have refreshments and live music from 4 – 7 p.m.

**BAY ELEMENTS
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Located inside Century Hall, Bay Elements is a mind-bending boutique specializing in items



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that are sure to stretch the imagination as well as the boundaries of what is possible when it comes to style.

Here, shop owner Susan Peterson brings her patrons an intriguing mix of antiques and new items; repurposed, upcycled and reimagined pieces, art and gifts as well as domestic and imported furniture. It is worth it just to browse and envision how even a small accent piece from Bay Elements would elevate your home décor style. Or, for the daring, purchase something new and inspired. Each piece – expertly curated by Peterson herself – is bold, and will certainly stimulate conversation and energy.

Peterson was born and raised in Jackson, Mississippi, but made her home on the Coast after marrying a local. She has been here for 35 years and hasn't looked back. "My heart is here," she said. "There is nothing better than being in Old Town Bay St. Louis." We couldn't agree more.

Be sure and stop by Bay Elements during the 2nd Saturday Art Walk on Dec. 14. They are located inside the Shops at Century Hall at 112 2nd Street. They will be serving refreshments and have live music from 4 – 7 p.m.

**GALLERY 220
220 MAIN STREET**
Gallery 220's featured artist for the December Artwalk is photographer Armand R Douroux, who

will present his "BayouByMe" Series.

Armand Douroux grew up playing among the surrounding bayous and waters of his New Orleans home. His boyhood adventures, full of family and love, created a foundation that has become the basis of his photography. In his "BayouByMe" series, the memories come alive as he captures the colors of a sunset or the cotton-like swelling of clouds. His photos invoke emotions that will draw you into this magical world, back to a time where kindred spirits joined in the sunlight and the reflections displayed the natural ambience of the bayous.

The "BayouByMe" series of photographs depict images of the Gulf Coast surroundings that has now become Douroux's playground. He now calls the bayous and beaches of Bay St. Louis, his home and has imbued into his images the natural beauty of his neighborhood.

Douroux has placed many of his images on post cards with quotes from well-known Southern writers, creating a slice of life to be shared. Framed and unframed prints are available and range in size.

See Douroux's work at Gallery 220 Main in Old Town Bay St. Louis. For more information, email douroux.armand@gmail.com.

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HYPE-Hancock Youth for Positive Efforts-Welcomed the Harlem Wizards to Hancock County Schools to promote a Drug and Alcohol- Free Lifestyle

SEA COAST ECHO

On December 5, members of the World-Famous Harlem Wizards spent the day spreading a positive message in our schools in partnership with HYPE-Hancock Youth for Positive Efforts. Eric “Broadway” Jones and Devon “Livewire” Curry spread the message of being your best self by living a drug and alcohol-free lifestyle to students at Bay Middle School, St. Stanislaus, Our Lady Academy and Hancock Middle School. This event was made possible through the Operation Roundup Grant funded by Coast Electric members.

Founded in 1962, the Harlem Wizards are a professional basketball team dedicated to supporting schools and nonprofits in providing positive resources to the youth in their communities. The Wizards are talented, charismatic, and always ready to deliver positive messages to young people with shows that include students in the activities.

Each Wizard shared personal examples of their accomplishments due to living drug and alcohol-free, from preserving healthy relationships with their families to traveling the world as high-achieving athletes. They emphasized to students that the magnitude and frequency of choices in life are best decided with safety, success, and sobriety in mind.

HYPE was thrilled to welcome Broadway and Livewire into our community and watch as they interacted with groups of students at each school to brighten their day while bringing to life the benefits of living alcohol and drug free.

For more information on HYPE, contact Cathy Pitalo at cpitalo@hancockhrc.org.



Photo courtesy of Hancock Resource Center
Cathy Pitalo, program coordinator for Drug Free Communities and Hancock Youth for Positive Efforts, speaks with Broadway before he begins a show.



Photo courtesy of Hancock Resource Center
Livewire hits the court at Bay Middle School.



Photo courtesy of Hancock Resource Center
Broadway and Livewire celebrate a successful show at Hancock Middle School with students who joined in on the activities.



Photo courtesy of Hancock Resource Center
Harlem Wizards Eric 'Broadway' Jones and Devon 'Livewire' Curry with Janell Nolan and Melissa Russo of Coast Electric Power Association.



Photo courtesy of Hancock Resource Center
Participants from Our Lady Academy and St. Stanislaus thank Broadway and Livewire for their stories and performance.



Photo courtesy of Hancock Resource Center
Broadway speaks to a group of students from St. Stanislaus, Our Lady Academy, and Holy Trinity about living alcohol and drug-free lifestyles.

Navigating through the Winter Wonderland

BY LINDA BIGLER
CONTRIBUTING WRITER

Winter is a few, short days away. Along with it comes holiday shopping, wrapping, cleaning, cooking, and a few dozen other chores we either look forward to or dread. It is time to fortify ourselves for the days leading up to Christmas and ending with Mardi Gras and perhaps beyond. Allow me to present some recipes for some liquid refreshments which will see us through these stressful times. Some are a bit stronger than others. Let us begin with some coffee beverages which

will either put us to sleep or wake us up. You will require a blender for this first recipe

FROZEN MOCHA

2 cups ice cubes
1 cup strong coffee
One fourth cup half and half
1 cup whole milk
One fourth cup powdered chocolate drink mix (not cocoa)
Combine all ingredients in a blender. Blend on high until thick. Pour into glasses and enjoy.

Serves 2

CAFÉ ROYAL

1 cup heavy cream
4 tablespoons powdered sugar
1 teaspoon vanilla
4 ounces brandy or Cognac

3 cups freshly brewed strong coffee

Whip cream with powdered sugar and vanilla until soft peaks form. Do not over beat. Set aside. Pour brandy in a small saucepan and heat until warm. Remove from heat and ignite. When flame dies down, evenly pour brandy into 4 mugs. Add an equal amount of coffee to each mug and top with prepared whipped cream.

Serves 4

TURKISH STYLE COFFEE

Three fourth ground dark roast coffee
1 tablespoon ground cardamom
8 cups water
Three fourth cups sugar
Place coffee and cardamom in a coffee filter.

Brew in a coffeemaker with the 8 cups of water. Stir in sugar and serve immediately.

Serves 6 to 8

The next recipe is for those bone chillingly cold days when the temperature drops below 50 degrees.

HOT CHOCOLATE

3 (1-ounce) squares unsweetened chocolate, chopped
One half cup sugar
1 teaspoon ground cinnamon
One fourth teaspoon freshly grated nutmeg
1 cup water
4- and one-half cups whole milk
Sweetened whipped cream (go ahead and use the stuff in the can)
In a large (at least 3

quart) microwave safe bowl, combine the chocolate, sugar, cinnamon, nutmeg, and water. Microwave on high for 3 minutes, stir and microwave on high for an additional 2 minutes or until chocolate melts. Slowly stir in milk. Return to the microwave and microwave on high for about 8 minutes; stirring every two minutes until heated through. Or you can do this whole boring process on the stovetop. Beat the hot chocolate with a handheld blender or electric mixer until frothy. Ladle into mugs and top with whipped cream. Finally whip up a batch of daiquiris for a crowd or just for you to sip while

you are binge watching those sappy Christmas movies on the Hallmark Channel

PINEAPPLE DAIQUIRIS

1 (20 ounce) can pineapple junkies with juice
One half cup lime juice
One half cup sugar
2 cups rum
3 to 4 cups ice cubes
Add all ingredients to a blender and blend until slushy. Pour into glasses and enjoy.

Usually serves 6 to 8

Enjoy some liquid nourishment and gird your loins for the hectic holidays ahead.

Linda is a contributing writer for the Sea Coast Echo and can be reached at lbigler67@gmail.com.

The Community CALENDAR

DECEMBER 12

- East Hancock Public Library will host “A Natural Christmas” beginning at 6 p.m. The library is located at 4545 Shepherd Square in Diamondhead. Santa Claus and refreshments.
- The Bay-Waveland Garden Club will meet on Thursday, December 12, at the Old Town Presbyterian Church on Ulman Avenue in Bay St. Louis. In lieu of the Coffee Social, there will be a brief business meeting at 10 a.m., and a Christmas Luncheon following. Everyone planning to attend, please bring a dish. Garden Club meetings are open to the public, and guests are always welcome.
- Coffee with a Cop is scheduled for today from 8 to 9:30 a.m. at Gulf Coast Community Federal Credit Union, located at the Marketown Shopping Center, 295 Hwy. 90, Unit 27.

DECEMBER 13

- The Mississippi Welcome Center, located at 1-10 and Highway 607 is hosting a Christmas Holiday reception from 10:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Enjoy Christmas carols with local school children. Santa Claus will be there and local tourism partners will serve refreshments.
- Hancock County Federation of Democratic Women will hold their Annual Blue Holiday Party and Fundraiser on Friday, Dec. 13, from 7 - 10 p.m., at the Lakeshore Community Center, 6400 Lower Bay Road, Bay St. Louis. There will be great food, raffles, and music provided by "The Electric Sheep." BYOB - set ups provided. Special guest: Rev. Robin Nicole Truitt. Advance tickets - \$20 (call Sandy Reese, 228-332-0099; Sandra Harris, 228-342-7516; or Goldie Fairconnetue, 228-332-

0526). Tickets at the door - \$25.

- VFW Post 3253, 208 Third St. in Bay St. Louis, will host Steak Night on Friday, Dec. 13., from 5-8 p.m. Menu includes 16-ounce ribeye, baked potato and salad for a \$15 donation. Music by Bill Lee. Dessert available for \$1.

DECEMBER 14

- Please come out for the annual National Wreaths Across America Event at St. Joseph- Rotten Bayou Cemetery on Saturday, Dec. 14, at 10 a.m. This is a public event hosted by the Navy Wives Club of America Honeybees Chapter 257.

On this day, volunteers will place live wreaths on more than 230 veterans interred at this cemetery. There will be guest speakers, TAPS, a 21 gun salute and a special guest who will perform during the ceremony. Organizers said they look forward to another successful year and would like to thank the Navy Wives Club of America Honeybee's #257 for their hard work and dedication in making all of this possible-- along with all the family, friends, clubs, organizations and businesses who donate or sponsor wreaths for our veterans here.

- St. Thomas Episcopal Diamondhead has been holding an outreach fundraiser called Gourmet To Go. Parishioners make casseroles, soups, meats, desserts, and other goodies, all available for sale to those in the community. People come from all over to purchase and take the delicious goodies home to store in their freezer for the holidays or for company which takes the stress out of entertaining.

Last year, money raised went to the Hancock County Food Pantry and Hancock Kids In Need-an outreach through our local

Hancock High School.

The food pantry received \$600, and the Kids in Need received \$100 a month for nine months, a total of \$900. St. Thomas is deeply grateful to the community for supporting this outreach. Organizers look forward to seeing you again this year for Gourmet To Go Dec. 14, St. Thomas Episcopal Church, Diamondhead 10 a.m. until 12 noon. Come early for the best selections.

- The Fire Truck Christmas parade is scheduled to begin at noon. Numerous fire trucks parade through Kiln with Santa Claus. The parade starts at Bobinger Road and ends at the Hancock County Arena, located at 4184 Kiln-DeLisle Rd.
- The children of M.A.P. will perform a Christmas live Nativity reenactment on the grounds of the historic Train Depot in Bay St. Louis at 7 p.m. in the Alice Moseley pavilion.
- The 100 Men Hall presents A Soulful Christmas. Breakfast, selfies with Black Santa, games, and prizes for the kids. Open to the public. The 100 Men Hall is located at 303 Union St., Bay St. Louis. The event lasts from 9 a.m. to noon.
- Celebrate Christmas under the starry skies during First Baptist Church's, located on Main Street in Bay St. Louis, reenactment of the Christmas story. It begins at 6 p.m.
- Did you know that not only does Santa love cookies and milk, he loves Science! Santa is making a special trip to INFINITY Science Center for the Christmas season. Bring your wish list and your camera to get a photo with the big man himself. This will be a fun day of science activities around Santa's favorite holiday.

To add to the fun, Mississippi's Magic Man Dorian LaChance will be bringing magic to the event. There will be two shows - 10:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. The magic show will include comedy, audience participation and of course amazing magical

fun just right for the holiday season. The event will last from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. INFINITY Science Center is located at 1 Discovery Circle, Pearlinton. The cost is \$12.50 to \$16.

- The 2019 International Christmas Festival and Pastry sale is scheduled for Dec. 14 from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. at Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church, located at 255 Beauvoir Rd., Biloxi. Greek food and pastries, eastern European food and pastries, live entertainment and dancing, fun family activities, marketplace gifts, and church tours. Free admission.
- Bourgeois Stieffel Ray American Legion Auxiliary Unit 77 will sponsor their annual Children's Christmas Craft Fair on Saturday, Dec. 14, from 11 a.m. until 2 p.m. at the American Legion Post 77 located at 503 Waveland Ave. The Christmas Craft Fair is open to boys and girls ages 4-12.

Admission is \$6 per child and includes lunch, snacks and craft supplies. Parents, here is your opportunity to go Christmas shopping, visit a friend, etc., while your children enjoy lunch, crafts, storytelling and a visit from Santa.

Children will be served lunch and cookies & punch at snack time. All children will be supervised by the American Legion Ladies Auxiliary of Unit 77. For more information or to pre-register contact Diane Fountain at 467-2198.

- Santa Claus will visit the Bay St. Louis Community Garden from 10 a.m.-noon on Saturday, Dec. 14, to take photos with children, seniors, families, singles and pets. Everyone is welcome.

For a suggested donation of \$10, you can take photos with Santa using your own devices up to five minutes per session.

All of the money raised will go to support the garden, which is located at the intersection of St. Frances and Bookter streets in the Bay.

- The Junior Auxiliary of Hancock County will be hosting a Share the Warmth

event on Saturday, Dec. 14. Free coats and other warmth accessories will be provided to needy children and adults. Coats can be claimed at Kiln Library on Highway 603 from 9am-12pm. They will be at the Hancock Resource Center in Waveland from 2-5 p.m.

DECEMBER 15

- The Kiln Cowboy Christmas Parade is scheduled for Sunday, Dec. 15 at noon. Cowboy's Horse & Wagon Parade with Santa on the lead wagon will leave Bobinger Rd at noon and end at the Kiln VFW. Come meet Santa, get a goody bag and have your picture taken with him. Refreshments will be provided. All riders will ride at own risk. For more information please contact Brian Ladner at 228-342-2444 or 228-342-0484

DECEMBER 17

- The Waveland Public Library, located at 345 Coleman Ave., will host A Nutcracker Christmas at 6 p.m. Santa Claus and refreshments.
- WW — formerly known as Weight Watchers — will meet Tuesdays at the Hancock County Resource Center, located at 454 Hwy. 90, Waveland, led by Wellness Coach Anne Hale and team. Weigh-in (wellness check-in) at 5 p.m. and the Workshop begins at 5:30 p.m. Invite a friend.

DECEMBER 19

- The Kiln Public Library, located at 17065

Hwy. 603, will host A Down Home Christmas at 6 p.m. Santa Claus will arrive by fire truck and refreshments will be served.

DECEMBER 21

- Santa will arrive by boat at the Bay St. Louis Harbor during Santa, Boats, and a Bonfire. There will be photos with Santa, music, and a bonfire. It begins at 4 p.m.

DECEMBER 22

- There will be a Hanukkah Menorah Lighting and Latke brunch at the 100 Men Hall, located at 303 Union St., Bay St. Louis. Jazz brunch featuring Panorama Jazz Band. The event will be held from 10 a.m. to noon.

DECEMBER 28

- The NAACP will host a Kwanzaa celebration which will also feature a Kinara lighting and more at St. Rose de Lima Holy Spirit Center, located at 303 S. Nicaise Ave., Bay St. Louis. The event begins at 7 p.m. Tickets \$20, call 228-669-4400.

Disclaimer: Events featured on the calendar page are printed at no charge and space permitting. Please keep submissions limited to about 100 words or less. Submissions are limited to community, educational, churches and non-profit organizations. Please submit your calendar entries electronically to gbelcher@seacoastecho.com.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Bay St. Louis Election Commission will tabulate the ballots of the December 17, 2019 Bay St. Louis Special Election beginning at 7 P.M., December 17, 2019 at Bay St. Louis City Hall located at 688 Hwy 90, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi. This is open to the public and all interested parties are encouraged to attend.

Sissy Gonzales
City Clerk

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Bay St. Louis Election Commission will conduct a Logic and Accuracy Testing on the TSX voting machines in preparation for the December 17th, 2019 Special Election.

The testing will be held on Thursday, December 12, 2019, beginning at 1:00 p.m. at the Hancock County Courthouse located at 152 Main Street, Bay Saint Louis, MS.

Interested parties are encouraged to attend.

Sissy Gonzales
City Clerk



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Amber Waves

by Dave T. Phipps

ANOTHER DAY FULL OF JUST EATING, SLEEPING AND THEN MORE EATING.

THIS CAN'T BE HEALTHY. TODAY'S THE DAY I'M GOING TO MAKE A CHANGE.

I'VE GOT TO GET SOME EXERCISE AND JUST NOT EAT LIKE A HORSE.

NO OFFENSE.

Out on a Limb

by Gary Kopervas

SHOCKING EVERYDAY DISCOVERIES:

I CAN'T BELIEVE THIS ISN'T MEAT...

I CAN'T BELIEVE THIS ISN'T BUTTER...

I CAN'T BELIEVE THIS ISN'T CRABEGGS...

I CAN'T BELIEVE I MARRIED DWAYNE.

R.F.D.

by Mike Marland

GEE, DAD!

YEAH, I KNOW, KIDDO.

THE POOLE FARM... LAND OF EXTREMES.

The Spats

by Jeff Pickering

SOMEDAYS I FEEL LIKE I'M A TEEPEE.

OTHER DAYS I FEEL LIKE I'M A WIGWAM.

...MAYBE I'M TWO TENTS?

POPEYE

IT'S ALL THE STRIVING FOR WEALTH AND POWER...

...THAT CAUSES ALL THE TURMOIL?

I'M ALWAYS BEING BERATED FOR BEING LAZY!

IF THERE WERE MORE PEOPLE LIKE ME...

...THE WORLD WOULD BE IN BETTER SHAPE!

I COULD CREATE A BLOG...

DEDICATED TO THIS GENERATION...

...TO MAKE PEOPLE FEEL SUPERIOR ABOUT NOT HAVING TO COMPETE...

...AND GIVE IT A CATCHY TITLE...

...WIMPYISM... THE PATH TO REDUCING HUMAN CONFLICT!

I'D PROBABLY WIN THE NOBEL PRIZE FOR PEACE...

...AND HAVE TO TRAVEL TO SWEDEN TO MAKE A SPEECH!

...THAT'S THE PROBLEM...

...IT'S A LOT OF WORK!

Just Like Cats & Dogs

by Dave T. Phipps

THIS REMOTE IS JUST IGNORING ANY OF MY VOICE COMMANDS. DEAR, DID YOU SOMEHOW PROGRAM IT?

LAFF-A-DAY

OMAR REDUCING SALON

"We'll be back to pick you up in two weeks!"

SCRAMBLERS

Unscramble the letters within each rectangle to form four ordinary words. Then rearrange the boxed letters to form the mystery word, which will complete the gag!

Look

CHEARS

Provide

STEVIN

Snag

GENTAL

Duty

OCHRE

TODAY'S WORD

How many more days of the boss's _____ do we have left?"

King Crossword

ACROSS

1 Chum

4 With 29-Across, Conrad novel

8 Faction

12 Whatever amount

13 Dermatology subject

14 Horn sound

15 Related to summer theater

17 "That hurts!"

18 Decorate a T-shirt, '60s-style

19 Old Olds

21 "— the fields we go"

22 Trite

26 McCartney cohort

29 See 4-Across

30 Praise in verse

31 Doves' place

32 Eviscerate

33 Actress Cannon

34 Commotion

35 Trot

36 Part of a Santa costume

37 1935 Astaire/Rogers movie

39 Oppositionist

40 Swelled head

41 Pester

45 Oodles

48 Western hero's trademark

50 Suitor

51 Draftable

52 List-ending abbr.

53 Complain

54 Peruse

55 "Quiet!"

DOWN

1 History

2 Oppositionist

3 Orpheus' instrument

4 Attorney

5 Earth tone

6 Genetic stuff

7 Midwestern city

8 Remained upright

9 Debtor's letters

10 Elmer, to Bugs

11 Biblical verb ending

16 Worship

20 Shade source

23 Georgetown athlete

24 Hebrew month

25 See to

26 "Shool"

27 — list

28 On

29 Moonshine container

32 Commence hostilities

33 Thick

35 Binge

36 Went by water

38 Excited

39 Porcelain

42 "I'll have what — having"

43 Wooden strip

44 Leave an impression

45 "The Chew" network

46 Meadow

47 Rowing need

49 Weeding tool

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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

	8			2		9	3
		4		5		1	
5			1				7
	9	2		6		8	
7				4			5
		5	3				4
	2			8		1	
		1		9			6
6			7	3		4	

Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ♦

♦ Moderate ♦♦ Challenging ♦♦♦ HOO BOY!

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HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINGOFF

Find at least six differences in details between panels.

CryptoQuip

This is a simple substitution cipher in which each letter used stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Solution is accomplished by trial and error.

Clue: Y equals T

WFKJZS WMBBTXJN ACPJXYCPB

YDKY FKW RCXMY YI DIML

YPKSW IA YITTLB VPKVZBPW:

K VKJKT B RBL.

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SCRAMBLERS

Today's Word

1. Search; 2. Invest; 3. Tangle; 4. Chore

Trivia test

by Fifi Rodriguez

1. THEATER: "West Side Story" was inspired by which earlier play?

2. MUSIC: What is the real name of songwriter/rapper Lizzo?

3. SCIENCE: How many people total have walked on the moon?

4. U.S. PRESIDENTS: Under whose administration did Spiro T. Agnew serve as vice president?

5. GEOGRAPHY: What is the capital of Chile?

6. ARCHITECTURE: In what decade was the Empire State Building completed?

7. ADVERTISING: What was the name of Honey Nut Cheerios' mascot?

8. U.S. STATES: What is the least populous state in America?

9. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: What was the name of Dick and Jane's dog in reading books used in schools in the mid-20th century?

10. INVENTIONS: Who is credited for inventing the modern lockstitch sewing machine?

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King Crossword

Answers

1. "Romeo and Juliet"

2. Melissa Viviane Jefferson

3. 12

4. Richard Nixon

5. Santiago

6. 1930s

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Weekly SUDOKU

Answer

6	2	4	1	3	7	8	5	9
9	8	7	5	6	2	4	1	3
5	3	1	8	4	9	6	7	2
8	1	5	3	2	6	9	7	4
7	6	9	8	1	4	6	5	2
4	9	2	5	6	7	8	3	1
5	3	9	1	8	6	2	4	7
2	7	4	6	5	3	1	9	8
1	8	6	4	7	2	5	9	3

CryptoQuip

answer

Swanky sleeping furniture that was built to hold trays of topped crackers: a canape bed.

DEVOTIONAL PAGE

WHAT DOES THE BIBLE SAY ABOUT HEALTHY EATING?

BY GARY ANDREWS

Many of us in today’s world haven’t really studied or understood what God’s Word tells us about eating. Many of us have diseases that could have been avoided if we had only trusted in what our Lord tells us to do.

In today’s fast paced society we eat and consume anything that tastes good and, in many cases, quick and convenient. Most of us are in such a hurry that we never stop to think about what we are putting into God’s temple and never understand why the results of modern processing makes us sick.

I remember several years ago when my doctor diagnosed me with diabetes and told me, “Gary, I am going to prescribe you a pill to help get your blood sugar under control. When we get your sugar down get off the pill and eat only what God provides for you and get the exercise your body requires.” My doctor is a Christian doctor and never gives drugs to anyone unless it is through dire need. Most people want quick fixes and many of the drugs that are prescribed for the body give us that relief we so desire, without thinking of what the drugs may be doing to our body.

I am certainly no expert on the effects of drugs in our body and I will never pretend to be. I do read journals and books on these issues and do understand that these are man-made prescriptions and are for the convenience of our needs.

However, I am just like most of you and try to justify eating what I want instead of listening to God’s Word on what I should put into my body.

God said during His Creation process in Genesis 1:29; “I give you every seed-bearing plant on the face of the whole earth and every tree that has fruit with seed in it. They will be yours for food.”

Many of us never associate our physical condition on what we put into our mouth to eat. We never read the ingredients on the packages that we buy and if we do, we cannot pronounce some of the words nor understand what they mean. We take better care of our automobiles when we choose a grade or brand of gasoline because we don’t want our car spitting and sputtering around.

Our ancestors knew much better than we about God’s plan for eating. Most of them

raised their own food and drank more water than any other drink. They also had unprocessed milk and foods that were grown without chemicals, unlike what we consume today. Many worked from sun-up to sun-down and never understood the idle time pleasures we enjoy today.

More education and experience has brought us to where we are in this day and time and we are reaping the fruits of our labor.

Maybe this is good; maybe this is bad, however whatever our circumstances are, we should never forget that our diet and exercise is outlined for us throughout the Bible and we should adhere to it.Prayer: Thank you Lord for your Word that gives me instructions for a healthy life. I pray that whatever I do that I will seek your guidance instead of the ways of the world. Amen.

Gary Andrews is the author of Encouraging Words: 30 days in God’s Word. If you would like to have a copy send \$15.00 check or money order to Gary Andrews at 504 Enchanted Drive, Yazoo City, MS 39194.

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1 CORINTHIANS 9:24-27

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CAUSE NO.: 23CH1:19-cv-709-CB
BY: **TRUMAN ANTHONY SCHULTZ, EXECUTOR**
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Letters Testamentary having been issued by the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 5th day of December, 2019, to the undersigned as Executor of the Estate of **MARJORIE MARIE SCHULTZ, Deceased**, in the above styled and numbered cause, in said Court, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the Estate of **MARJORIE MARIE SCHULTZ, Deceased**, to have the same probated and registered by the Clerk of the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi within ninety (90) days from the date of first publication hereof, and that failure to probate and register any such claim within said ninety (90) day period will forever bar the same. THIS, the 6th day of December, 2019.
TRUMAN ANTHONY SCHULTZ, Executor
Preston J. Mauffray (MSB #101131)
Attorney at Law, PLLC
P.O. Box 4272
Day St. Louis, Mississippi 39521
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12/11/2019; 12/18/2019; and 12/25/2019.

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF **BILLIE L. BAHNER, DECEASED**
WILLIAM H. BAHNER, PETITIONER
CAUSE NO.: 23CH1:19-cv-00506-CB
SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION
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TO: Any and all unknown heirs-at-law of **Billie L. Bahner**, deceased whose place of residence, street and post office address are unknown to Petitioner after diligent search and inquiry.
You have been made a Defendant in a Petition to Determine Heirs filed in this Court by **William H. Bahner, Petitioner**, seeking the determination of heirs at law of **Billie L. Bahner**, deceased. Defendants other than you in this action are: any person with a claim as an heir-at-law or wrongful death beneficiary of **Billie L. Bahner**.
You are summoned to appear and defend against the complaint or petition filed against you in this action at 1:30 o'clock p.m. on the 17th day of December, 2019, in the courtroom of the Harrison County Courthouse, in Gulfport, Mississippi, and in case of your failure to appear and defend, a judgment will be entered against you for the money or other things demanded in the complaint or petition. You are not required to file an answer or pleading but you may do so if you desire.
ISSUED under my hand and the seal of said Court, this the 26th day of November, 2019.
(SEAL)

Timothy A. Kellar,
Hancock County Chancery Clerk
Cassie Tribble, D.C.
The Casano Law Firm, P.A.
4403 West Aloha Drive
Diamondhead, MS 39525
228-255-0035
11/30; 12/07; 12/11/19

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
IN THE MATTER OF THE HEIRSHIP OF **DENNIS LEON BOSARGE, JR. DUDLEY BOSARGE; DENNIS BOSARGE; AND TINA BROWN CO-PETITIONER/ADMINISTRATOR**
CAUSE NO.: 19-CV-694 (JS)
SUMMONS
(Service by Publication: Resident Unknown)
TO: Unknown Heirs-At-Law, whose whereabouts and address is unknown
You have been made a Defendant in the suit filed in this Court by Co-Petitioners, **DUDLEY BOSARGE, DENNIS BOSARGE, and TINA BROWN**.
You are summoned to appear and defend against said Petition to Establish Heirship on a date certain set by Fiat, at 9:00 a.m. on the 9th day of March 2020, in the courtroom of the Harrison County Chancery Court, First Judicial District, Gulfport, Mississippi, located at 1901 23rd Avenue, Gulfport, MS, and in case of your failure to appear and defend, a Judgment will be entered against you for the money and other things demanded in the Petition.
You are not required to file an answer or other pleading, but may do so if you desire.
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(SEAL)

TIMOTHY A. KELLAR, Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi
By: Cassie Tribble, D.C.
George Blair Law Firm, P.L.L.C.
532 Main St.
Bay St. Louis, MS 39520
228-220-3371
11/30; 12/07; 12/11/19

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
HANCOCK BANK PLAINTIFF
VS.
RODNEY LADNER, SR. AND NORMAN J. LADNER DEFENDANTS
CAUSE NO. 12-0459
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WHEREAS, on August 1, 2019, Hancock Bank assigned the judgment to Edgefield Holdings, LLC,
WHEREAS, the balance due on said Judgment as of October 15, 2019, is no less than \$88,959.20; and
WHEREAS, Plaintiff further submits that **Rodney Ladner** owns a certain real estate ("Subject Property") located in Hancock County, Mississippi, more particularly described as: Beginning at the SE corner of the SW 1/4 of the NE 1/4, Section 27, Township 6, Range 14 West; thence North 660 feet; thence West 250 feet to the center line of a creek; thence following the meanderings of the center line of said creek in a Southwesterly direction of 700 feet, more or less, to the South line of said SE 1/4 of the NE 1/4; thence East 400 feet to the point of beginning, containing 4 acres, more or less, and lying and being situated in the SW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 27, Township 6, Range 14 West, Hancock County, Mississippi.
Together with all improvements situated thereon and all appurtenances thereunto belonging.
Parcel No. 058-0-27-004.000
AND WHEREAS, on October 17, 2019 the Circuit Clerk of Hancock County issued the Writ of Execution for the sale of the Subject Property to the highest bidder for cash; and
WHEREAS, **Rodney Ladner** must satisfy the judgment held by Edgefield Holdings, LLC, minus credits for amounts appropriated to the judgment balance, on or before the date of sale, or her rights in the property will forever be terminated, and
WHEREAS, should **Rodney Ladner** fail to pay Edgefield Holdings, LLC the amount necessary to satisfy the balance of the judgment before 11:00 a.m. on the 17th day of December, 2019,
THEN IN THAT EVENT, the Hancock County Sheriff or any other authorized officer of the Hancock County Sheriff's office, will offer for sale and will sell at public outcry on December 17, 2019, the above described property to the highest bidder for cash, at 11:05 a.m. or as soon thereafter as the Sheriff of Hancock County or his deputy may appear with a representative of the plaintiff Edgefield Holdings, LLC at the main front steps of the Hancock County Courthouse, located at 152 Main Street, Bay St. Louis, MS 39520.
AT THE CONCLUSION OF THE SALE, and upon receipt of the highest bid and payment in cash or certified funds, or other form of approved payment of the bid price, a Sheriff's Deed conveying the Subject Property will be executed to the highest bidder.
PARTIES INTERESTED in bidding on the Subject Property may contact **Ben H. Harris, III, Attorney for Plaintiff**, at any time prior to the sale, for further information concerning the sale, by calling 251-432-1414.
Dated, this the 15th day of November, 2019.
Prepared By:
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BEFORE THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
IN RE: PETITION FOR CLEMENCY BY **LESLIE DANIELLE DEWITT**
LESLIE DANIELLE DEWITT PETITIONER
NOTICE
PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT **LESLIE DANIELLE DEWITT** HAS FILED A PETITION FOR PARDON, REPRIEVE OR CLEMENCY WITH THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI. YOU ARE GIVEN NOTICE PURSUANT TO ARTICLE 5, § 124 OF THE MISSISSIPPI CONSTITUTION THAT SHE IS REQUESTING A REPRIEVE, PARDON OR CLEMENCY FOR A SENTENCE SHE IS CURRENTLY SERVING FROM THE CIRCUIT COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI. THE PETITION SHE HAS FILED STATES MANY WELL FOUNDED REASONS THEREIN FOR HER REQUEST AND IS SUPPORTED BY NUMEROUS WELL RESPECTED CITIZENS OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI. ALL FEEL THAT THE REPRIEVE, PARDON OR CLEMENCY SHOULD BE GRANTED.
THIS THE 2ND DAY OF DECEMBER, 2019.
LESLIE DANIELLE DEWITT BY: /s/ JIM DAVIS
HONORABLE JIM DAVIS
1904 24TH AVENUE
P. O. BOX 1839
GULFPORT, MS 39502
(228) 864-1588
MSB #5830
12/04; 12/11; 12/18; 12/25/19

FLIGHT SCHOOL OPERATOR AT STENNIS INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT & AIRPARK (KHSA)
Notice is hereby given that the Hancock County Port and Harbor Commission (HCPHC) is requesting qualifications and proposals from those operators interested in basing and operating a FAA approved Federal Aviation Regulation ("FAR") Part 61 and Part 141 flight school out of Stennis International Airport & Airpark (KHSA). Upon review of the qualifications and proposals, HCPHC will pursue negotiations with one or more respondents for a long-term contract. HCPHC reserves the right to discontinue the process at any time and/or to proceed with the implementation of a flight school through an alternative process.
This Request for Qualification/Proposal is posted on the HCPHC website at www.portairspacework.com. Prospective respondents must register at the website to receive notices of addenda, responses to RFI, or other relevant new information during the response period. If your entity is interested and qualified, please submit three (3) hard copies and one (1) electronic copy (on CD/DVD or jump drive) of your response by DECEMBER 30, 2019 at 5:00 PM CST to: HCPHC
Attn: Flight School Proposal
14054 Fred and Al Key Road
Klin, MS 39556
If you have any questions about the proposal process, or for technical questions and/or for more information, contact Mr. Chanse Watson at (228) 467-9231 x 101, or watsonc@hchpc.ms.
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WHEREAS, the balance due on said Judgment as of October 15, 2019, is no less than \$88,959.20; and
WHEREAS, Plaintiff further submits that **Rodney Ladner** owns a certain real estate ("Subject Property") located in Hancock County, Mississippi, more particularly described as: That portion of the West Half of the SE 1/4 of Section 3, Township 7 South, Range 15 West lying East of Cuevas Town Road and South of Highway 43, Hancock County, Mississippi, containing 36.56 acres more or less.
Together with all improvements situated thereon and all appurtenances thereunto belonging.
Parcel No. 072-0-03-030.001
AND WHEREAS, on October 17, 2019 the Circuit Clerk of Hancock County issued the Writ of Execution for the sale of the Subject Property to the highest bidder for cash; and
WHEREAS, **Rodney Ladner** must satisfy the judgment held by Edgefield Holdings, LLC, minus credits for amounts appropriated to the judgment balance, on or before the date of sale, or her rights in the property will forever be terminated, and
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Together with all improvements situated thereon and all appurtenances thereunto belonging.
Parcel No. 058-0-27-005.004
AND WHEREAS, on October 17, 2019 the Circuit Clerk of Hancock County issued the Writ of Execution for the sale of the Subject Property to the highest bidder for cash; and
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Together with all improvements situated thereon and all appurtenances thereunto belonging.
Parcel No. 058-0-27-005.004
AND WHEREAS, on October 17, 2019 the Circuit Clerk of Hancock County issued the Writ of Execution for the sale of the Subject Property to the highest bidder for cash; and
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IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
IN RE: ESTATE OF **KATHERINE MARCY WHITE, DECEASED**
CAUSE NO. 23CH1:19-CV-673-JP
ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS
LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION HAVING BEEN GRANTED ON THE 19TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2019, BY THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, TO THE UNDERSIGNED UPON THE ESTATE OF **KATHERINE MARCY WHITE, DECEASED**, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST SAID ESTATE TO PRESENT THE SAME TO THE CLERK OF SAID COURT FOR PROBATE AND REGISTERED ACCORDING TO LAW WITHIN NINETY (90) DAYS FROM THIS DATE, OR THEY WILL BE FOREVER BARRED.
THIS 21ST DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2019.
JOSEPH ANTHONY GILBERTI
ADMINISTRATOR
CAROLINE E. HAAS
HAAS & HAAS, ATTORNEYS AT LAW
201 NORTH SECOND STREET
BAY ST. LOUIS, MS 39520
228-467-6574
MS BAR NO. 104525
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WHEREAS, on August 1, 2019, Hancock Bank assigned the judgment to Edgefield Holdings, LLC,
WHEREAS, the balance due on said Judgment as of October 15, 2019, is no less than \$88,959.20; and
WHEREAS, Plaintiff further submits that **Rodney Ladner** owns a certain real estate ("Subject Property") located in Hancock County, Mississippi, more particularly described as: Lot 9, ROCKY HILL ACRES SUBDIVISION, Hancock County, Mississippi, as per the official plat of said subdivision on file in the office of the Clerk of the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi.
Together with all improvements situated thereon and all appurtenances thereunto belonging.
Parcel No. 058-0-27-003.008
AND WHEREAS, on October 17, 2019 the Circuit Clerk of Hancock County issued the Writ of Execution for the sale of the Subject Property to the highest bidder for cash; and
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Together with all improvements situated thereon and all appurtenances thereunto belonging.
Parcel No. 058-0-28-012.001
AND WHEREAS, on October 17, 2019 the Circuit Clerk of Hancock County issued the Writ of Execution for the sale of the Subject Property to the highest bidder for cash; and
WHEREAS, **Norman Ladner** must satisfy the judgment held by Edgefield Holdings, LLC, minus credits for amounts appropriated to the judgment balance, on or before the date of sale, or her rights in the property will forever be terminated, and
WHEREAS, should **Norman Ladner** fail to pay Edgefield Holdings, LLC the amount necessary to satisfy the balance of the judgment before 11:00 a.m. on the 17th day of December, 2019,
THEN IN THAT EVENT, the Hancock County Sheriff or any other authorized officer of the Hancock County Sheriff's office, will offer for sale and will sell at public outcry on December 17, 2019, the above described property to the highest bidder for cash, at 11:05 a.m. or as soon thereafter as the Sheriff of Hancock County or his deputy may appear with a representative of the plaintiff Edgefield Holdings, LLC at the main entrance of the Hancock County Courthouse, located at 152 Main Street, Bay St. Louis, MS 39520.
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SECTION 00090
ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS
NOTICE: Bidders

Sealed Bids will be received by the
HANCOCK COUNTY BOARD OF
SUPERVISORS at 854 HIGHWAY 90, BAY
ST. LOUIS, MS 39520 until 10:00 A.M. on
January 21, 2020, and shortly thereafter
opened and read for:
**HANCOCK COUNTY
BEACH MAINTENANCE RE-BID**
Project Manuals may be examined at the
HANCOCK COUNTY BOARD OF
SUPERVISORS, 854 HIGHWAY 90, BAY ST.
LOUIS, MS, at the office of the Design
Engineer, Compton Engineering, Inc., 3036
Longfellow Drive in Bay St. Louis, or online at
www.comptongenengineeringplans.com. The bid
documents are being made available online
via original paper copy or compact disc upon
payment \$125.00 per paper copy and \$50.00
per compact disc. The drawings bound in the
bid documents are photographic reductions of
the original tracings. Cost includes shipping
and handling for each set. The bid documents
are non-refundable and must be purchased
through the website. Returned documents
are not required. All plan holders are
required to have a valid email address for
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website registration and online orders please
contact Plan House Printing at 662-407-0193.
For information regarding this project, contact
Compton Engineering's office at
228-467-2770 in Bay St. Louis, Mississippi.
Sealed paper bids may be submitted to the
Hancock County Board of Supervisors at 854
HWY 90, Bay St. Louis, MS.
Electronic bids can be submitted at
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questions relating to the electronic bidding
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662-407-0193.
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to award the Contract to serve the best inter-
est of Owner.
HANCOCK COUNTY
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
By: Blaine LaFontaine, President
12/07/19, 12/11/19, 12/18/19



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THE CHANCERY COURT
OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
RANDALL C. MARTIN PLAINTIFF
VERSUS
GEORGE GIVENS; ALL UNKNOWN HEIRS
OF GEORGE GIVENS; GEORGE GIVENS;
AS TRUSTEE; ANNA M. HENLEY; ALL
UNKNOWN HEIRS OF ANNA M. HENLEY;
HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI; JOEL
SMITH, IN HIS CAPACITY AS DISTRICT
ATTORNEY FOR HANCOCK COUNTY,
MISSISSIPPI; JIM HOOD, IN HIS CAPAC-
ITY AS ATTORNEY GENERAL FOR THE
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI; AND ALL OTHER
PERSONS, FIRMS AND CORPORATIONS
HAVING OR CLAIMING ANY LEGAL
OR EQUITABLE INTEREST IN THE
WITHIN DESCRIBED LAND LOCATED IN
HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, WHICH
WAS SOLD FOR HANCOCK COUNTY,
MISSISSIPPI TAXES ON AUGUST 31, 2017
VIZ: 3RD WARD 378 BAY ST LOUIS
V-1-421 SEC 00 TWP 00 RANGE 00
PARCEL #: 149N-0-30-020.000 DIST: 1050
CITY: 1 SCHOOL: 1 PPIN# 000009482
DEFENDANTS
CAUSE NO. 23CH1:19-698 CB
SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
TO: GEORGE GIVENS; ALL UNKNOWN
HEIRS OF GEORGE GIVENS; GEORGE
GIVENS, AS TRUSTEE; ANNA M. HENLEY;
ALL UNKNOWN HEIRS OF ANNA M.
HENLEY; HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIP-
PI; JOEL SMITH, IN HIS CAPACITY AS
DISTRICT ATTORNEY FOR HANCOCK
COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI; JIM HOOD, IN
HIS CAPACITY AS ATTORNEY GENERAL
FOR THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI; AND
ALL OTHER PERSONS, FIRMS AND
CORPORATIONS HAVING OR CLAIMING
ANY LEGAL OR EQUITABLE INTEREST IN
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PARCEL #: 149N-0-30-020.000 DIST: 1050
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NOTICE
This is a suit by RANDALL C. MARTIN, to
quiet and confirm title to that certain property
legally described as:
DESCRIPTION OF LAND: 3RD WARD 378
BAY ST LOUIS
V-1-421 SEC 00 TWP 00 RANGE 00

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PARCEL #: 149N-0-30-020.000
DIST: 1050 CITY: 1 SCHOOL: 1 PPIN#
000009482
RANDALL C. MARTIN being the highest
and best bidder at the tax sale dated August
31, 2017 for the 2016 Hancock County,
Mississippi ad valorem taxes which were not
redeemed, was granted a Chancery Clerk's
Conveyance for said property on October 28,
2019 which was recorded on October 29,
2019 in Book 2019 at Page 13212 in the
Office of the aforesaid Chancery Clerk.
If you have a legal or equitable claim or inter-
est in this property, you are required to mail
or hand-deliver a copy of your response to the
Complaint to Quiet and Confirm Title and
For Other Relief to the attorney for Plaintiffs,
Negrotto & Associates, PLLC, c/o Lewie G.
"Skip" Negrotto, IV, the attorney for Plaintiffs,
whose post office address is 133 Davis
Avenue, Ste. L, Pass Christian, MS 39571.
YOUR RESPONSE MUST BE MAILED OR
DELIVERED WITHIN THIRTY DAYS FROM
THE 4TH DAY OF DECEMBER 2019,
WHICH IS THE DATE OF FIRST PUBLICA-
TION OF THIS SUMMONS. IF YOUR
RESPONSE IS NOT SO MAILED OR DELIV-
ERED, A JUDGMENT BY DEFAULT WILL
BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE
RELIEF DEMANDED IN THE COMPLAINT.
You must also file the original of your
Response with the Clerk of this Court within
a reasonable time afterward. The address of
the Clerk of this Court is 152 Main Street,
Suite A, Bay St. Louis, MS 39520
(SEAL)
Timothy A. Kellar, Chancery Clerk
Hancock County, Mississippi
DATED: 11/27/19
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12/04; 12/11; 12/18/19

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SECTION 001113 - ADVERTISEMENT
FOR BIDS

FROM:
1.01 THE OWNER (HEREINAFTER
REFERRED TO AS OWNER):
A. Hancock County School District
B. Address:
Hancock County School District
Administration Building
17304 Highway 603
Klin, MS, 39556
1.02 AND THE ENGINEER/ARCHI-
TECT (HEREINAFTER REFERRED TO AS
ENGINEER/ARCHITECT):
A. Machado/Patano, PLLC & MIP
Design Group, PLLC
B. Address:
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Biloxi, MS 39530
228-388-1950 (Phone)
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1.03 TO: POTENTIAL BIDDERS
Your firm is invited to submit an
offer under seal to Owner for construction of
a building located at:
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Klin, MS 39556
Before 2:00 pm local standard
time on the 14th day of January, 2020, for:
B. Project Name: Hancock High
Football Entry, Restroom, and Concession
C. Project Number: 0239.19.006
D. Project Description: This project
consists of the construction of a new Con-
cession and Restroom building, a Covered
Ticket Booth entry building, and all associat-
ed site improvements as described in the
Construction Documents and Specifications.
E. Bid Documents for a Stipulated
Sum contract may be obtained from the web-
site of the Architect at www.mpengplans.us
upon receipt of a non-refundable deposit, by
cash or check, in the amount indicated on the
plan room site for one set delivered in elec-
tronic PDF format.
F. Bidders will be required to provide
Bid security in the form of a Bid Bond of a
sum no less than 5 percent of the Bid
Amount or a certified check for a sum no less
than 5 percent of the Bid Amount.
G. Refer to other bidding require-
ments described in Document 002113 - In-
structions to Bidders and Document 003100 -
Available Project Information.
H. Submit your offer on the Bid
Form provided. Bidders may supplement this
form as appropriate.
I. If Bids are mailed or hand deliv-
ered, then they must be contained in a sealed
envelope marked on the outside with the proj-
ect name. They must be on file as received
or delivered by the time stated above to the
address of the Owner stated above. Do not
deliver Bids to the project address or the Ar-
chitect's address.
J. Electronic Bid Submission will be
accepted on this project. Online bids can be
placed on the website of the Architect at
www.mpengplans.us. If Bids are electronic-
ly submitted, then a title page containing the
same information as would occur on the front
of a sealed envelope must be included and
must be clearly indicated as such in the file
name.
K. Bids in excess of \$50,000.00
must be marked on the outside of the enve-
lope with the contractor's Mississippi certifi-
cate of responsibility number as issued by the
Mississippi Board of Contractors.
L. Your offer will be required to be
submitted under a condition of irrevocability
for a period of 60 days after submission.
M. The Owner reserves the right to
accept or reject any or all offers.
END OF SECTION
12/11/19, 12/18/19

SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S
NOTICE OF SALE

WHEREAS, on October 30, 2002, Doyle D.
Bosarge executed a certain deed of trust to
Charles A. Meyers, Trustee for the benefit of
Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems,
Inc., as nominee for Realty Mortgage
Corporation d/b/a Magnolia Mortgage, its
successors and assigns which deed of trust is
recorded in the office of the Chancery Clerk
of Hancock County, State of Mississippi in
Book 722 at Page 106; and WHEREAS, Wells
Fargo Bank, N.A. has heretofore
substituted Shapiro & Brown, LLC as Trustee
by instrument dated November 8, 2019 and
recorded in the aforesaid Chancery Clerk's
Office in Book 2019 at Page 26731; and
WHEREAS, default having been made in the
terms and conditions of said deed of trust and
the entire debt secured thereby having been
declared to be due and payable in
accordance with the terms of said deed of
trust, Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., the legal holder
of said indebtedness, having requested the
undersigned Substituted Trustee to execute
the trust and sell said land and property in
accordance with the terms of said deed of
trust and for the purpose of raising the sums
due thereunder, together with attorney's fees,
trustee's fees and expense of sale. NOW,
THEREFORE, I, Shapiro & Brown, LLC,
Substituted Trustee in said deed of trust, will
on January 3, 2020 offer for sale at public
outcry and sell within legal hours (being
between the hours of 11:00 a.m. and 4:00
p.m.), at the front door of the County
Courthouse at 152 Main St., Bay St. Louis,
MS, to the highest and best bidder for cash
or certified funds the following described
property situated in Hancock County, State of
Mississippi, to-wit: Lots 8 and 9, Block 4, Unit
1, Diamondhead, Phase 1, according to the
map or plat thereof on file and of record in the
office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock
County, at Bay St. Louis, Mississippi. I WILL
CONVEY only such title as vested in me as
Substituted Trustee.

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WITNESS MY SIGNATURE on this 6th day
of December, 2019,
Shapiro & Brown, LLC
SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE
Shapiro & Brown, LLC
1080 River Oaks Drive, Suite B-202
Flowood, MS 39232
(601) 981-9299
5615 Aheloko Circle
Diamondhead, MS 39525
19-025187
Publication Dates:
12/11/19, 12/18/19, 12/25/19, 01/01/20

SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S
NOTICE OF SALE

WHEREAS, on July 30, 2012, Bennie D.
Ozenovich, an unmarried woman and David
W. Rheams, an unmarried man, executed a
deed of trust to Alan E. South, Trustee for the
benefit of Mortgage Electronic Registration
Systems, Inc., acting solely as Nominee for
First National Bank of Layton, its successors
and assigns, which deed of trust is recorded in
Deed of Trust Book 2012 at Page 16245 in the
Office of the Chancery Clerk of the County
of Hancock, State of Mississippi; and
WHEREAS, the aforesaid deed of trust was
assigned to Finance of America Reverse LLC
by instrument dated June 10, 2019, and
recorded in the Office of the aforesaid
Chancery Clerk in Book 2019 at Page 15790;
and
WHEREAS, the aforesaid deed of trust
was assigned to Wilmington Savings Fund
Society, FSB, as Trustee of Finance of America
Structured Securities Acquisitions
Trust 2019-HB1 by instrument dated October
8, 2019, and recorded in the Office of the
aforesaid Chancery Clerk in Book 2019 at
Page 23594; and
WHEREAS, the aforesaid, Wilmington
Savings Fund Society, FSB, as Trustee of
Finance of America Structured Securities
Acquisitions Trust 2019-HB1, the holder of
said deed of trust and the note secured there-
by, substituted Underwood Law Firm PLLC,
as Trustee therein, as authorized by the
terms thereof, by instrument dated October
25, 2019 and recorded in the Office of the
aforesaid Chancery Clerk in Book 2019 at
Page 25662; and
WHEREAS, default having been made in the
terms and conditions of said deed of trust
and the entire debt secured thereby, having
been declared to be due and payable in
accordance with the terms of said deed of
trust, and the legal holder of said indebted-
ness, Wilmington Savings Fund Society,
FSB, as Trustee of Finance of America
Structured Securities Acquisitions Trust 2019-
HB1, having requested the undersigned
Substituted Trustee to execute the trust and
sell said land and property in accordance with
the terms of said deed of trust for the purpose
of raising the sums due thereunder, together
with attorney's fees, Substituted Trustee's
fees and expense of sale;
NOW, THEREFORE, WE, Underwood Law
Firm PLLC, Substituted Trustee in said deed
of trust, will on the 27th day of December,
2019, offer for sale at public outcry for cash to
the highest bidder, and sell within legal hours
(being between the hours of 11:00 A.M.
and 4:00 P.M.) at the Main front door of the
County Courthouse at Bay St. Louis, County
of Hancock, State of Mississippi, the follow-
ing described property situated in the County
of Hancock, State of Mississippi, to-wit:
The land described herein is situated in the
State of Mississippi, County of Hancock and
is described as follows:
Parcel One:
Lot 22, Block 7, Unit 5, Diamondhead, Phase
2, according to the map or plat thereof
recorded in Plat Book 4 at Pages 37-40
inclusive, in the Office of the Chancery Clerk
of Hancock County, Mississippi.
LESS AND EXCEPTING therefrom:
That portion of Lot 22, Block 7, Unit 5,
Diamondhead, Phase 2, in Hancock County,
Mississippi, described as follows:
Commencing at an iron rod at the Northeast
Corner of Lot 22; thence South 64 degrees
47 minutes 22 seconds East along the line
common to Lots 22 and 23 a distance of
66.34 feet to the Point of Beginning; thence
South 64 degrees 47 minutes 22 seconds
East along said common line a distance of
63.46 feet to a point on a curve concave to
the Southeast, having a radius of 50 feet,
said point being on the right of way of Aulena
Place; thence Southerly along said curve and
right-of-way a distance of 17.01 feet to the
beginning of a reverse curve concave to the
Northwest having a radius of 25 feet; thence
Southerly 2.99 feet along said curve and
right-of-way to an iron pipe; thence North 48
degrees 33 minutes 25 seconds West 69.93
feet to the Point of Beginning.
Parcel Two:
All that part of Lot 23, Block 7, Unit 5,
Diamondhead, Phase 2, in Hancock County,
Mississippi, described as follows:
Commencing at an iron rod at the Northwest
Corner of Lot 23; thence North 63 degrees 26
minutes East along the Northerly line of Lot
23 a distance of 200.00 feet to an iron pipe;
thence South 48 degrees 33 minutes 25
seconds East 56.21 feet to the line common
to Lots 22 and 23; thence North 64 degrees
47 minutes 22 seconds West along said
common line a distance of 66.34 feet to the
Point of Beginning.
Containing in all, 521 square feet, more or
less.
Parcel Number(s): 067R-1-36-085.000
WE WILL CONVEY only such title as is
vested in Underwood Law Firm PLLC as
Substituted Trustee.
WITNESS OUR SIGNATURE, this the 21st
day of November, 2019,
Underwood Law Firm PLLC
SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE
Control# Rheams, David/Celink
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This holiday season you can help support your community by shopping locally. Here are eight reasons why it's important to shop locally. "It's more important than ever that the local communities get out and support small business in our communities," Bay Life Gifts owner Janice Guido said recently. "It keeps the revenues in our own community, it keeps the tax right in our own little town. We have beautiful shops in the Bay and we want to continue to have these pretty shops in the Bay. But the local community has to support them in this day and age, for us to have these amenities."

"When you shop local, you're ensuring that money goes back into the community for parks, roads and other public improvements through tax collection and to support local causes through the charitable efforts of local business owners," according to Hancock County

Chamber of Commerce Executive Director Tish Williams. "For every dollar spent locally, 67 cents stays in the community."

"Small businesses and the people behind them make our communities unique, and when they succeed, we all do so let's get out and support small businesses throughout Hancock County."

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ing First Baptist Church's, located on Main Street in Bay St. Louis, reenactment of the Christmas story. It begins at 6 p.m.

- Bourgeois Stieffel Ray American Legion Auxiliary Unit 77 will sponsor their annual Children's Christmas Craft Fair on Saturday, Dec. 14, from 11 a.m. until 2 p.m. at the American Legion Post 77 located at 503 Waveland Ave. The Christmas Craft Fair is open to boys and girls ages 4-12.

Admission is \$6 per child and includes lunch, snacks and craft supplies. Parents, here is your opportunity to go Christmas shopping, visit a friend, etc., while your children enjoy lunch, crafts, storytelling and a visit from Santa.

Children will be served lunch and cookies & punch at snack time. All children will be supervised by the American Legion Ladies Auxiliary of Unit 77. For more information or to pre-register contact Diane Fountain at 467-2198.

- Santa Claus will visit the Bay St. Louis Community Garden from 10 a.m.-noon on Saturday, Dec. 14, to take photos with children, seniors, families, singles and pets. Everyone is welcome.

For a suggested donation of \$10, you can take photos with Santa using your own devices up to five minutes per session.

All of the money raised will go to support the garden, which is located at the intersection of St. Frances and Bookter streets in the Bay.

- The Junior Auxiliary of Hancock County will be hosting a Share the Warmth event on Saturday, Dec. 14. Free coats and other warmth accessories will be provided to needy children and adults. Coats can be claimed at Kiln Library on Highway 603 from 9am-12pm. They will be at the Hancock Resource Center in Waveland from 2-5 p.m.

The Kiln Cowboy Christmas Parade is scheduled for Sunday, Dec. 15 at noon. The event is officially known as the "Cowboy's Horse & Wagon Parade." Santa is scheduled to be on the lead wagon. The parade will leave Bobinger Rd at noon and end at the Kiln VFW, where Santa will visit with the children and pose for photos. Refreshments will be provided. For more information please contact Brian Ladner at 228-342-2444 or 228-342-0484.

For more upcoming holiday events, see our



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More scenes from Christmas on Coleman.



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